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Frank White, Governor

Honorable Frank White
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Governor White:

We, of Arkansas Social Services, herewith respectfully transmit to you the Annual Report of Arkansas Social Services for fiscal year 1980, a review of the progress and results of the operation of the Agency during our 45th year of operation.

Sincerely,

Dorothy K. Rappeport

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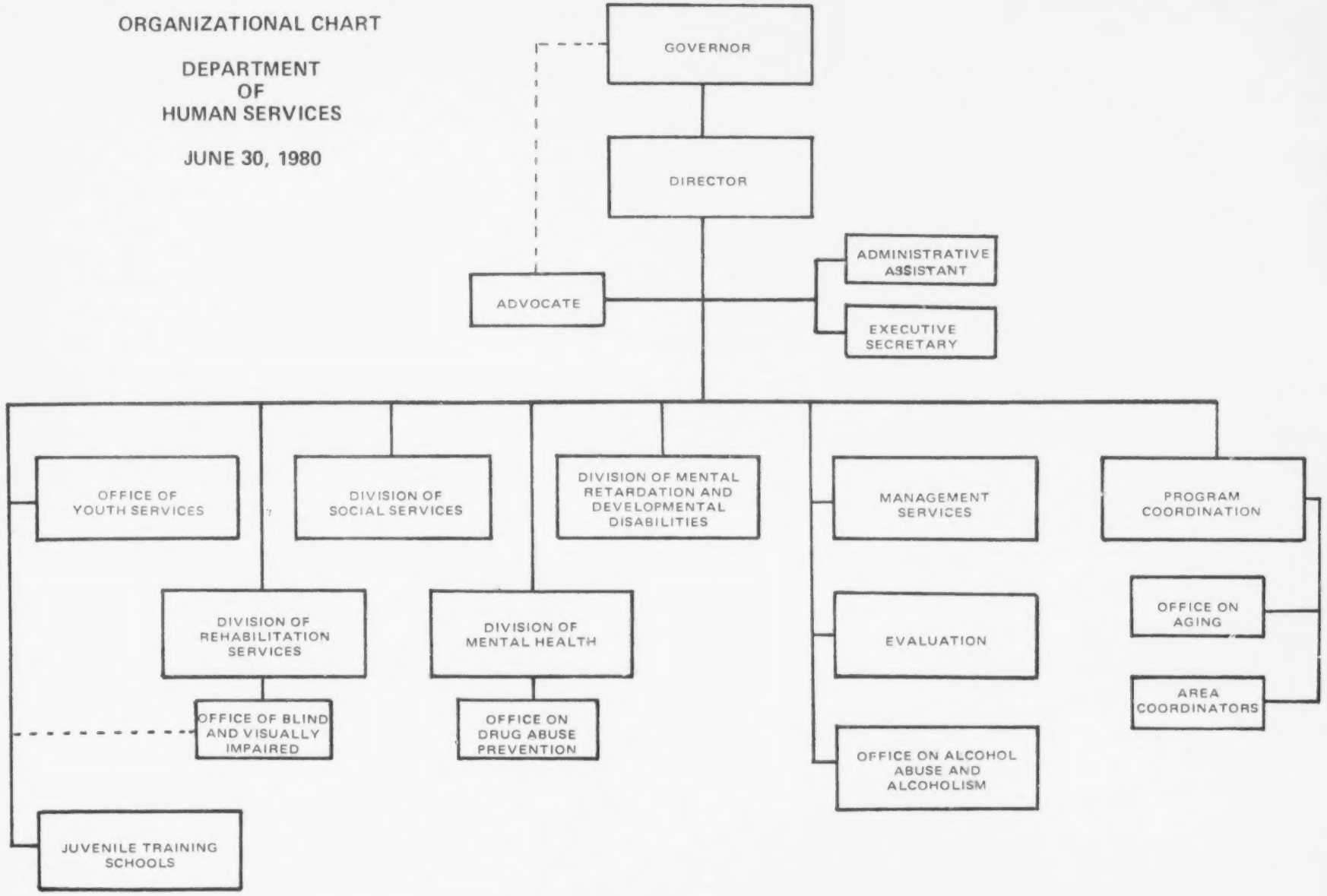
Commissioner

The Department is committed to the State Plan concerning Delivery of Services and to Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity Employment

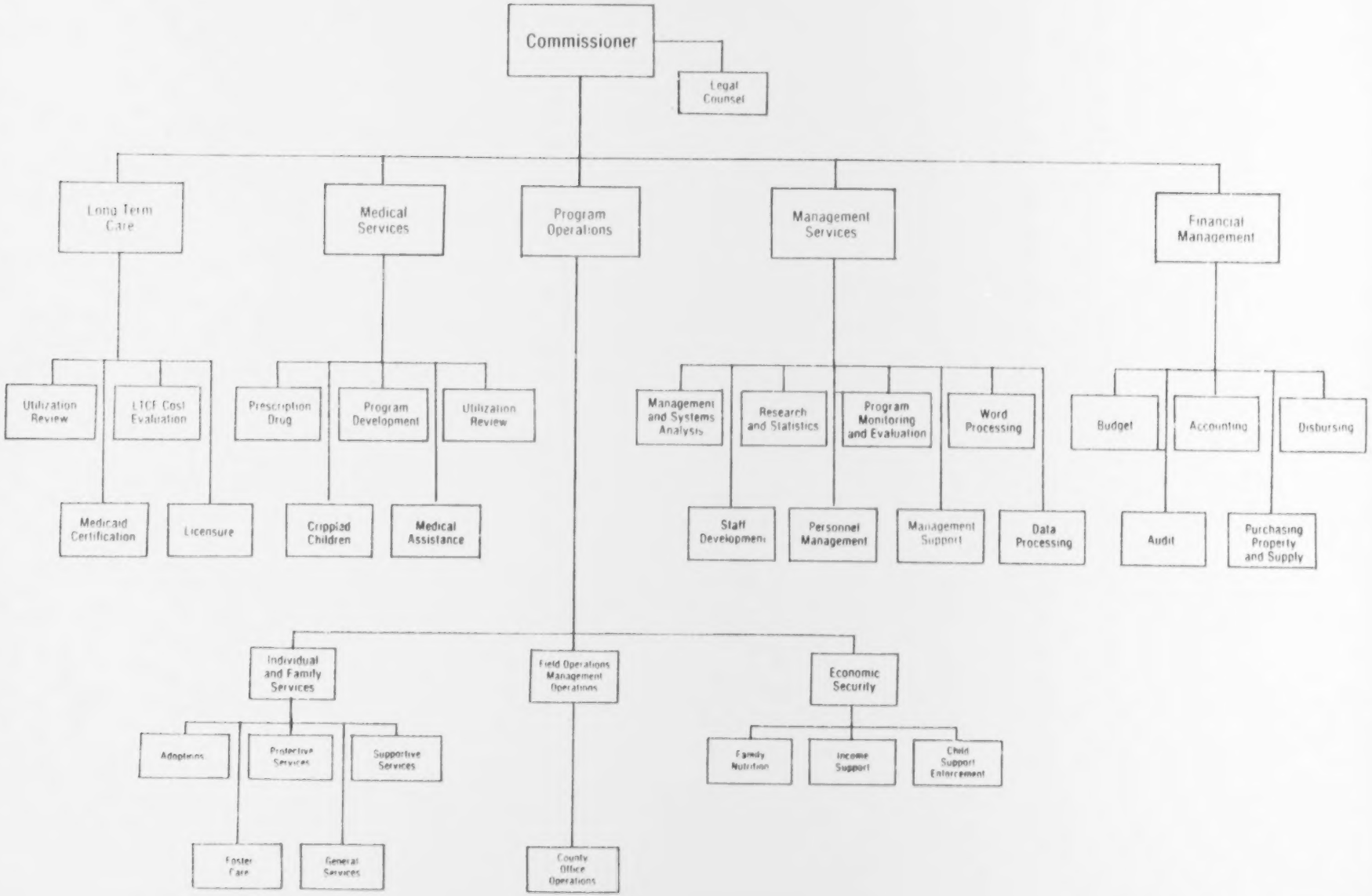
ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

DEPARTMENT
OF
HUMAN SERVICES

JUNE 30, 1980



Arkansas Social Services Division
Organizational Chart



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Guide to Categorical Eligibility Abbreviations

AA	Aid to the Aged
AB	Aid to the Blind
AD	Aid to the Disabled
AFDC	Aid to Families with Dependent Children
FC	Foster Care Children
U-21	Under 21 Years of Age

ARKANSAS SOCIAL SERVICES
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1980

ASSISTANCE

	TOTAL	FEDERAL	STATE
AFDC Money Grant	$ 49,341,195	$ 35,805,257	$13,535,938
Medical	233,658,127	167,296,702	66,361,425
Social Services	8,145,781	5,387,951	2,757,830
SSI Supplement	58,063	–	58,063
WIN	254,691	76,717	177,974
Indochinese Refugees	872,553	872,553	–
Emergency Assistance	150,000	–	150,000
Energy Assistance	3,138,902	3,138,902	–
Other	914,042	–	914,042
Sub-Total	$296,533,354	$212,578,082	$83,955,272

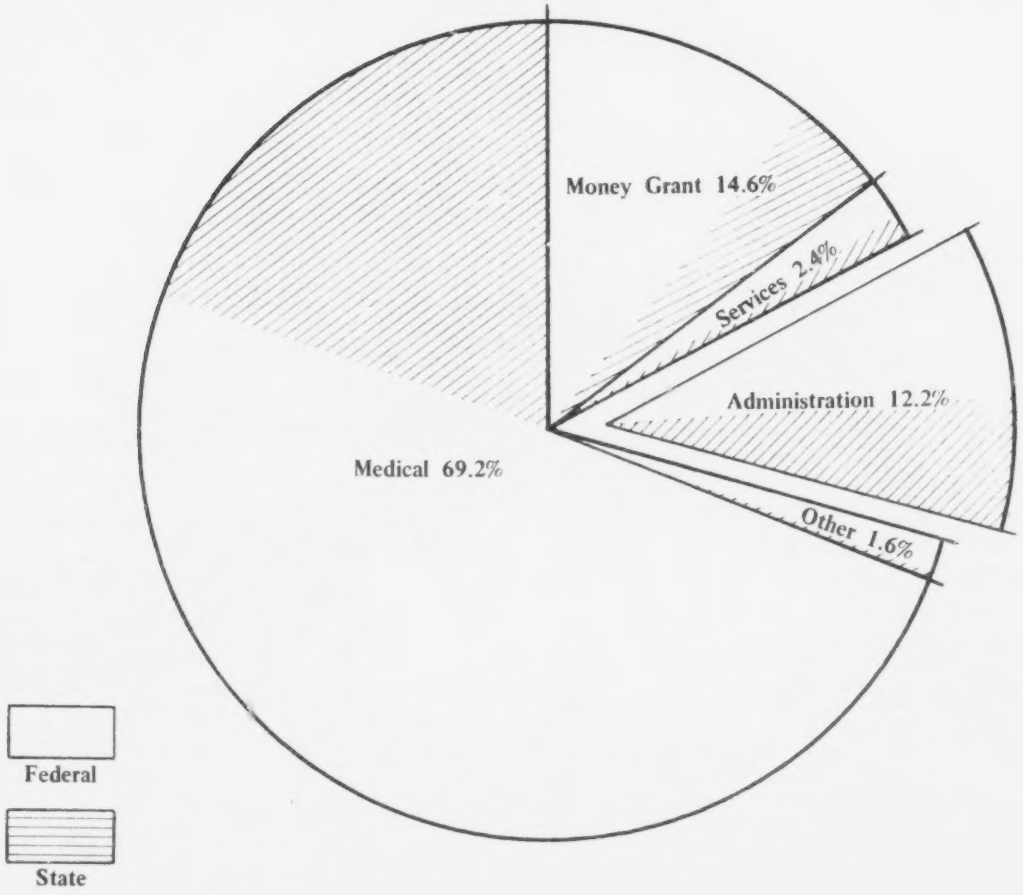
ADMINISTRATION

	TOTAL	FEDERAL	STATE
AFDC Money Grant	$ 5,809,544	$ 2,930,624	$ 2,878,920
Medical	10,294,003	6,649,162	3,644,841
Social Services	8,269,118	6,169,679	2,099,439 1/
Food Stamps	11,858,914	5,929,457	5,929,457
Child Support Enforcement	2,883,886	2,006,175	877,711 2/
SSI Supplement	25,952	25,952	–
WIN	675,591	608,032	67,559
Indochinese Refugees	53,862	53,862	–
Commodity Distribution	674,157	–	674,157
Energy Assistance	1,791	1,791	–
Emergency Operations	32,737	–	32,737
CETA	405,715	405,715	–
Other	11,047	–	11,047
Sub-Total	$ 40,996,317	$ 24,780,449	$ 16,215,868
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$337,529,671	$237,358,531	$100,171,140

1/ Includes local donor and certified match.

2/ Includes local match.

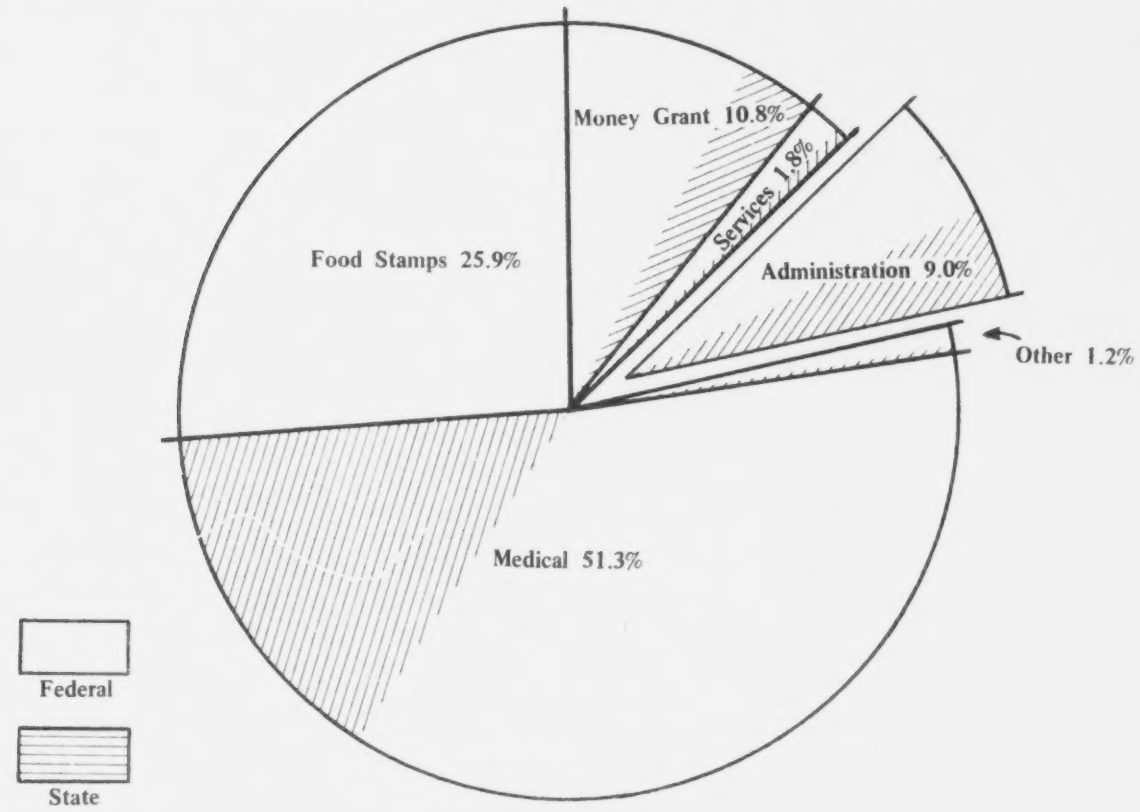
TOTAL EXPENDITURES



	Total	Federal	State
TOTAL	$337,529,671	$237,358,531	$100,171,140
PROGRAMS	$296,533,354	$212,578,082	$ 83,955,272
Money Grant	49,399,258	35,805,257	13,594,001
Medical	233,658,127	167,296,702	66,361,425
Services	8,145,781	5,387,951	2,757,830
Other Programs	5,330,188	4,088,172	1,242,016
ADMINISTRATION 1/	$ 40,996,317	$ 24,780,449	$16,215,868

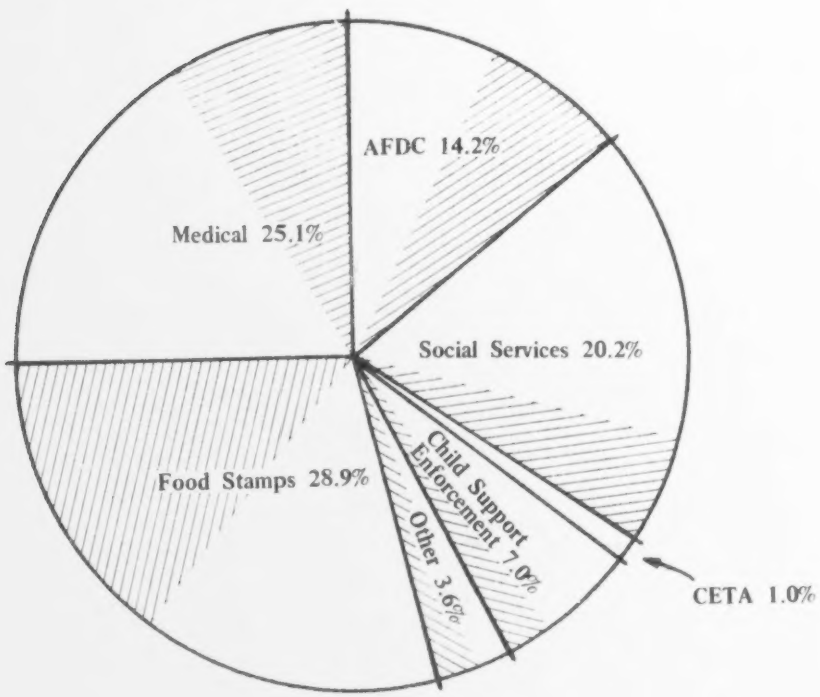
1/ Includes administrative cost for programs in which there is no assistance expenditures . . . i.e. Food Stamps, Commodity Distribution and Child Support Enforcement.

TOTAL PROGRAM ASSISTANCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS



	Total	Federal	State
TOTAL	$455,262,109	$355,090,969	$100,171,140
Program Assistance	$414,265,792	$330,310,520	$ 83,955,272
Money Grant	$ 49,399,258	$ 35,805,257	$ 13,594,001
AFDC	49,341,195	35,805,257	13,535,938
SSI Supplement	58,063	–	58,063
Medical	$233,658,127	$167,296,702	$ 66,361,425
Medical Services	93,870,383	66,691,744	27,178,639
Long Term Care	118,536,172	86,224,981	32,311,191
Prescription Drugs	19,448,228	14,145,302	5,302,926
Crippled Children's Services	1,803,344	234,675	1,568,669
Food Stamp Coupons	$117,732,438	$117,732,438	$ –
Social Services	$ 8,145,781	$ 5,387,951	$ 2,757,830
Purchased	6,307,741	5,109,324	1,198,417
Foster Care	1,838,040	278,627	1,559,413
Other Programs	$ 5,330,188	$ 4,088,172	$ 1,242,016
WIN	254,691	76,717	177,974
Indochinese Refugees	872,553	872,553	–
Energy Assistance	3,138,902	3,138,902	–
Emergency Assistance	150,000	–	150,000
Other	914,042	–	914,042
Administration	$ 40,996,317	$ 24,780,449	$ 16,215,868

ADMINISTRATIVE COST BY PROGRAM



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AFDC	5,809,544	2,930,624	2,878,920
Medical	10,294,003	6,649,162	3,644,841
Medical Services 1/	9,110,310	5,465,469	3,644,841
Crippled Children's Services	1,183,693	1,183,693	–
Food Stamps	11,858,914	5,929,457	5,929,457
Social Services	8,269,118	6,169,679	2,099,439
Direct and Purchased 2/	7,252,155	5,446,905	1,805,250
Child Welfare	1,000,365	706,176	294,189
Foster Family Assessment	16,598	16,598	–
Child Support Enforcement	2,883,886	2,006,175	877,711
Other Programs	1,475,137	689,637	785,500
SSI	25,952	25,952	–
WIN	675,591	608,032	67,559
Indochinese Refugees	53,862	53,862	–
Energy Assistance	1,791	1,791	–
Emergency Operations	32,737	–	32,737
Commodity Distribution	674,157	–	674,157
Other	11,047	–	11,047
CETA	405,715	405,715	–

1/ Includes all Title XIX services included in the State plan.
2/ Includes cost of providing direct services.

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) is a Federal/State funded assistance program which provides monthly cash payments to eligible dependent children and adult relatives whose income and resources are not sufficient to provide a minimum standard of living. Eligibility requirements other than financial include: age, citizenship, residence, deprivation of parental support or care (death, desertion, incapacity, abandonment), resource limitations and payment limitations. The Division implemented the capability to control expenditures in October 1976 by a revised payment system (Flat Grant) with provision for a percentage reduction.

Once eligibility for AFDC is established, in addition to the financial aid, Medicaid, WIN, Child Support Enforcement and Services are available with no further eligibility determination as to the need requirement. This program is administered statewide with eligibility determination provided by staff in the local Social Services Offices.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children Foster Care (AFDC-FC) is an assistance program under which monthly payments are made to an approved foster home, institution, or residential facility for the care of a child who meets AFDC eligibility criteria, and who has been removed from his own home by Court Order. This program is administered statewide.

For fiscal year 1979-1980, the share of Federal/State funding for the AFDC program is 72.06% Federal and 27.94% State. This percentage is based on a special formula and is subject to change.

In order for a state to receive Federal financial participation, the State must administer the program under a plan approved by HEW. Conditions for approval of the State's Family Assistance plan for the AFDC program are outlined under the Social Security Act and are specified in the second section of each of the pertinent titles. AFDC is Title IV-A. There are also "plan requirements" in other sections of each title which affects the details of implementing the AFDC program.

To summarize, in order to receive Federal financial participation, an AFDC State plan for providing financial maintenance directly to individuals or families must provide for:

- Statewide operation
- State financial participation
- A single state agency to administer the plan or to supervise its administration by local agencies upon which state rules, regulations, and standards are mandatory.
- Methods of administration necessary for proper and efficient operations of the plan including the establishment and maintenance of personnel standards on a merit basis and the training and use of paid sub-professional staff and volunteers.
- Safeguards which restrict the use and disclosure of information about applicants for and recipients of assistance to purposes directly connected with: a. the administration of the plan; b. any investigation, prosecution, or criminal or civil proceeding in connection with plan administration; and c. the administration of any other Federal needs program, with disclosure of recipients' name and address to any committee or legislative body prohibited. (A provision in the 1951 Revenue Act (Sec. 618, as amended by Sec. 141 (e) PL 87-543, 1962) permits exceptions to this requirement to the extent that the names and addresses of recipients and the amounts of assistance payments to them may be a matter of public record and open to interested persons if state legislation prescribes the condition of access and prohibits commercial or political use of information so obtained.)
- Opportunity for anyone wishing to do so to apply for assistance under the plan without delay and that assistance shall be furnished with reasonable promptness to all eligible individuals.

. Opportunity for a fair hearing before the State agency for any claimant for assistance whose claim is denied or is not acted upon with reasonable promptness or who is aggrieved by any other agency action affecting receipt, suspension, reduction, or termination of assistance or by agency policy as it affects his situation.

. Submittal to the Office of Family Assistance (HEW) such reports as it requires.

. The prohibition of the concurrent receipt of assistance by an individual under more than one approved plan for financial maintenance assistance.

. Consideration, in determination of the need of a claimant of assistance, of any income and resources that he may have, as well as any expenses reasonably attributable to earning of any such income, except:

a. in the program of Aid to Families with Dependent Children (Title IV-A) the following income shall be disregarded:

(1) all earned income of any child receiving AFDC if he is a full-time student or a part-time student who is not a full-time employee; and

(2) the first $30 a month, plus 1/3 of the remainder, of total monthly earned income of all other individuals whose needs are included in the family assistance payment.

. Prompt notice and information to State Child Support Collection Agency (IV-D) of the furnishing of AFDC to a child deserted by a parent, including children born out of wedlock whether or not paternity has been established.

. Information to appropriate court or law enforcement agency with respect to AFDC children in home considered unsuitable because child is neglected, abused, or exploited.

. Registration for manpower services, training, and employment of all individuals in the AFDC assistance unit except those specifically exempted in the Work Incentive Program Act.

. For aid to children in the form of Foster Care under the conditions specified in Title IV-A of the Federal Act.

. Applicant/recipient to furnish State agency his social security number or numbers and State to utilize such number for identification.

. Applicant/recipient to be required to assign support rights which have accrued at the time for self or in behalf of any family member for whom applying.

. Provide that the State has in effect a child support plan approved under IV-D Child Support and Establishment of Paternity, and operates a child support program in conformity with IV-D plan requirements.

The State plan may not be approved if it includes:

. Any residence requirement that excludes any person who is a resident of the State, defined by the Secretary of HEW as one who is living in the State voluntarily with the intention of making his home there and not for a temporary purpose. (Although all titles of the Social Security Act still contain a permissive durational residence requirement, the United States Supreme Court decision of April 19, 1969 (Shapiro v. Thompson), prohibits durational residence requirements.)

. Any citizenship requirement barring a citizen of the United States who is otherwise eligible for aid. (In addition, as a result of a U.S. Supreme Court decision of June 14, 1971 (Graham v. Richardson), a Federal regulation was issued November 2, 1973, to require that any alien, in order to be eligible, must be lawfully admitted for permanent residence or otherwise permanently residing in the U.S. under color of law.)

AFDC

MONTHLY AVERAGE OF CASES, PERSONS AND PAYMENT

	Cases	Total Persons	Adults	Children	Payment [1]
Monthly Average	29,335	85,112	22,797	62,315	$4,201,360
July 1979	29,518	86,452	22,894	63,558	4,219,270
August	29,366	85,732	22,729	63,003	4,194,552
September	29,180	85,106	22,559	62,547	4,174,696
October	29,535	85,951	22,898	63,053	4,234,635
November	28,941	84,159	22,405	61,754	4,134,115
December	29,051	84,385	22,524	61,861	4,192,448
January 1980	29,395	85,216	22,871	62,345	4,218,611
February	29,308	84,852	22,849	62,003	4,189,465
March	29,413	84,943	22,965	61,978	4,217,712
April	29,624	85,488	23,122	62,366	4,259,007
May	29,450	84,846	22,982	61,864	4,206,188
June	29,240	84,223	22,770	61,453	4,175,627

[1] Total expenditures as written; does not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

Monthly Average Per Case - $143.22

Monthly Average Per Person - $49.36

Average Number Children Per Case - 2.1

Average Number Adults Per Case - 0.8

AFDC

FAMILIES RECEIVING MONEY PAYMENTS AND TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT FY 1979 - 1980

	Families [1]	Adults [1]	Children [1]	Amount [2]
State Total	39,573	33,095	89,478	$50,416,326
Area 1 - Total	4,774	3,990	10,293	$ 5,208,964
Baxter	148	124	295	129,766
Benton	700	586	1,375	670,248
Boone	214	179	430	221,054
Carroll	125	104	269	127,823
Crawford	545	456	1,089	561,247
Franklin	122	102	265	129,858
Johnson	193	161	409	206,667
Logan	253	211	569	307,078
Madison	108	90	221	108,330
Marion	97	81	229	119,828
Newton	100	83	236	120,396
Searcy	89	74	205	113,089
Sebastian	916	766	2,004	1,020,581
Stone	156	130	392	197,185
Van Buren	161	134	378	188,628
Washington	847	709	1,927	987,186
Area 2 - Total	8,079	6,756	18,186	$10,124,264
Clay	301	252	557	330,186
Craighead	719	601	1,393	804,285
Crittenden	1,903	1,592	4,344	2,668,062
Cross	517	432	1,150	620,125
Fulton	111	93	222	113,778
Greene	358	299	756	368,916
Independence	352	294	744	380,961
Izard	89	74	170	87,754
Jackson	506	423	1,079	615,534
Lawrence	289	242	604	334,401
Mississippi	1,648	1,379	4,040	2,110,220
Poinsett	606	507	1,503	787,193
Randolph	150	125	345	179,767
Sharp	187	156	415	236,197
Woodruff	343	287	864	486,885
Area 3 - Total	5,834	4,877	13,245	$ 7,625,283
Calhoun	153	128	327	172,885
Columbia	559	468	1,340	782,222
Dallas	300	251	618	388,653
Hempstead	364	304	793	478,563
Howard	105	88	266	116,859
Lafayette	292	244	707	406,614
Little River	192	160	487	240,193
Miller	701	586	1,605	930,517
Montgomery	70	58	118	82,093
Nevada	253	211	633	346,231
Ouachita	868	726	1,771	1,129,949
Pike	79	66	214	105,212
Polk	292	244	634	326,062
Scott	165	138	366	179,408
Sevier	101	84	239	130,256
Union	1,129	945	2,559	1,552,187
Yell	211	176	568	257,379

AFDC

FAMILIES RECEIVING MONEY PAYMENTS AND TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT FY 1979 - 1980

	Families [1]	Adults [1]	Children [1]	Amount [2]
Area 4 - Total	10,749	8,993	24,801	$14,709,528
Arkansas	548	458	1,046	651,230
Ashley	697	583	1,443	899,744
Bradley	290	242	572	336,616
Chicot	967	809	2,420	1,332,267
Cleveland	110	92	225	145,172
Desha	686	574	1,587	925,908
Drew	252	211	572	319,552
Grant	108	90	189	111,787
Jefferson	2,171	1,817	4,741	2,913,922
Lee	853	714	2,031	1,190,947
Lincoln	329	275	809	457,151
Monroe	519	434	1,124	695,701
Phillips	2,053	1,718	5,187	3,061,039
St. Francis	1,166	976	2,855	1,668,492
Area 5 - Total	10,137	8,479	22,953	$12,748,287
Clark	266	222	532	300,440
Cleburne	134	112	239	133,443
Conway	332	278	704	368,073
Faulkner	239	200	452	240,573
Garland	860	719	1,838	948,072
Hot Spring	321	268	684	359,195
Lonoke	454	380	976	530,092
Perry	91	76	155	90,642
Pope	431	360	883	494,866
Prairie	174	145	418	235,387
Pulaski-South	4,403	3,685	10,280	5,730,342
Pulaski-North	1,579	1,321	3,897	2,312,253
Saline	414	346	889	494,229
White	439	367	1,006	510,680

[1] Unduplicated count.
[2] Does not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

AFDC FAMILIES AND GRANT AMOUNTS
JUNE 1980

	Total Families and Grant Amount				Average Family Size and Grant Amount		
	Families	Children	Adults	Grant	Children	Adults	Grant
State Total	29,240	61,453	22,770	$4,175,627	2.1	.8	$142.81
Area 1- Total	3,207	6,206	2,477	$447,755	1.9	.8	$139.62
Baxter	83	155	68	11,298	1.9	.8	136.12
Benton	415	802	293	57,513	1.9	.7	138.59
Boone	124	236	102	17,547	1.9	.8	141.51
Carroll	80	157	64	10,968	2.0	.8	137.10
Crawford	365	710	275	51,264	1.9	.8	140.45
Franklin	87	171	73	12,008	2.0	.8	138.02
Johnson	126	232	97	16,585	1.8	.8	131.63
Logan	197	416	144	28,243	2.1	.7	143.37
Madison	70	124	54	9,300	1.8	.8	132.86
Marion	65	128	55	9,324	2.0	.8	143.45
Newton	74	148	72	10,179	2.0	1.0	137.55
Searcy	61	132	50	9,077	2.2	.8	148.80
Sebastian	624	1,211	483	87,296	1.9	.8	139.90
Stone	113	229	94	15,644	2.0	.8	138.44
Van Buren	120	212	94	16,497	1.8	.8	137.48
Washington	603	1,143	459	85,012	1.9	.8	140.98
Area 2 - Total	6,004	12,494	4,702	$847,110	2.1	.8	$141.09
Clay	191	367	155	25,603	1.9	.8	134.05
Craighead	509	956	406	72,686	1.9	.8	142.80
Crittenden	1,500	3,264	1,255	221,129	2.2	.8	147.42
Cross	382	811	266	52,529	2.1	.7	137.51
Fulton	56	98	55	7,584	1.8	1.0	135.43
Greene	247	463	195	33,988	1.9	.8	137.60
Independence	220	430	167	31,157	2.0	.8	140.62
Izard	57	97	45	7,323	1.7	.8	128.47
Jackson	392	766	290	53,183	2.0	.7	135.67
Lawrence	215	389	166	28,099	1.8	.8	130.69
Mississippi	1,243	2,832	956	177,815	2.3	.8	143.05
Poinsett	469	960	368	65,103	2.0	.8	138.81
Randolph	107	214	72	14,337	2.0	.7	133.99
Sharp	139	252	103	18,057	1.8	.7	129.91
Woodruff	277	595	203	38,517	2.1	.7	139.05
Area 3 - Total	4,463	9,333	3,517	$637,563	2.1	.8	$142.86
Calhoun	104	220	84	14,752	2.1	.8	141.85
Columbia	441	1,017	380	65,583	2.3	.9	148.71
Dallas	233	470	180	33,426	2.0	.8	143.46
Hempstead	266	565	207	39,596	2.1	.8	148.86
Howard	81	171	58	10,978	2.1	.7	135.53
Lafayette	214	487	162	31,765	2.3	.8	148.43
Little River	129	307	109	19,980	2.4	.8	154.88
Miller	519	1,078	434	75,533	2.1	.8	145.54
Montgomery	49	77	31	6,193	1.6	.6	125.78
Nevada	183	411	155	27,078	2.2	.8	147.97
Ouachita	706	1,359	509	95,422	1.9	.7	135.16
Pike	67	134	46	9,331	2.0	.7	139.27
Polk	193	386	159	27,004	2.0	.8	139.92
Scott	124	229	99	15,687	1.8	.8	126.51
Sevier	73	160	60	10,575	2.2	.8	144.86
Union	925	1,945	741	133,943	2.1	.8	144.80
Yell	156	317	103	20,717	2.0	.7	132.80

AFDC FAMILIES AND GRANT AMOUNTS
JUNE 1980

	Total Families and Grant Amount				Average Family Size and Grant Amount		
	Families	Children	Adults	Grant	Children	Adults	Grant
Area 4 - Total	8,494	18,655	6,568	$1,217,191	2.2	.8	$143.30
Arkansas	388	763	290	54,904	2.0	.7	141.51
Ashley	523	1,077	391	72,528	2.1	.7	138.68
Bradley	230	444	147	30,045	1.9	.6	130.63
Chicot	777	1,814	633	113,274	2.3	.8	145.78
Cleveland	79	178	54	11,290	2.3	.7	144.10
Desha	545	1,203	415	78,532	2.2	.8	134.58
Drew	185	363	141	24,898	2.0	.8	134.58
Grant	77	137	46	9,731	1.8	.6	126.38
Jefferson	1,711	3,535	1,323	243,547	2.1	.8	142.34
Lee	660	1,556	537	94,970	2.4	.8	143.89
Lincoln	260	574	194	36,939	2.2	.7	142.07
Monroe	403	833	309	57,291	2.1	.8	142.16
Phillips	1,710	4,080	1,334	252,175	2.4	.8	147.47
St. Francis	946	2,098	754	137,067	2.2	.8	144.89
Area 5 - Total	7,072	14,765	5,506	$1,026,008	2.1	.8	$145.08
Clark	192	392	145	27,152	2.0	.8	141.42
Cleburne	76	152	59	10,729	2.0	.8	141.17
Conway	218	454	155	30,552	2.1	.7	140.15
Faulkner	150	297	107	20,917	2.0	.7	139.45
Garland	514	977	385	70,078	1.9	.7	136.34
Hot Spring	235	421	176	30,814	1.8	.7	131.12
Lonoke	315	641	237	44,308	2.0	.8	140.66
Perry	60	112	37	7,752	1.9	.6	129.20
Pope	291	543	220	40,089	1.9	.8	137.76
Prairie	127	268	101	17,826	2.1	.8	140.36
Pulaski-South	3,014	6,653	2,431	453,036	2.2	.8	150.31
Pulaski-North	1,247	2,686	977	184,859	2.2	.8	148.24
Saline	320	586	257	45,131	1.8	.8	141.03
White	313	583	219	42,765	1.9	.7	136.63

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DISTRIBUTION OF MONEY GRANT PAYMENTS JUNE 30, 1980

	No Adults		One Adult		Two Adults		Percent Of
	Cases	Children	Cases	Children	Cases	Children	Cases
Total	6,683	12,060	20,825	45,685	407	1,115	100.00
$ 1 - 10	86	142	175	414	3	10	.9
11 - 20	57	72	133	272	–		.7
21- 30	53	70	138	263	2	11	.7
31 - 40	50	89	167	362	1	1	.8
41- 50	48	82	153	342	2	3	.7
51- 60	61	122	216	419	3	10	1.0
61 - 70	3,288	3,351	161	349	4	5	12.4
71 - 80	22	56	178	397	3	11	.7
81 - 90	48	128	181	402	2	3	.8
91 - 100	24	68	175	426	2	5	.7
101 - 110	29	83	165	372	6	15	.7
111 - 120	26	89	163	431	2	4	.7
121 - 130	26	72	142	360	2	9	.6
131 - 140	1,695	3,414	7,701	7,949	5	11	33.7
141 - 150	13	52	101	298	2	3	.4
151 - 160	5	25	72	284	4	7	.3
161 - 170	735	2,212	5,196	10,505	88	103	21.6
171 - 180	3	17	50	224	5	19	.2
181 - 190	263	1,056	2,922	8,826	115	232	11.8
191 - 200	2	13	23	128	–		.1
201 - 210	1	10	13	61	2	6	.1
211 - 220	92	460	1,387	5,572	66	198	5.5
221 - 230	–	–	15	95	–		.1
231 - 240	30	181	662	3,311	36	146	2.6
241 - 250	–	–	3	21	–	–	–
251 - 260	–	–	6	40	1	6	–
261 - 270	17	119	297	1,785	28	140	1.2
271 - 280	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
281 - 290	5	40	122	854	11	66	.5
291 - 300	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
301 - 310	4	37	108	923	12	91	.5

Number of Children in Case

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7+
Cases	12,014	7,822	4,284	2,037	973	424	361
Percent	43.0	28.0	15.4	7.3	3.5	1.5	1.3

PERCENT OF AFDC CASES WITH INCOME OTHER THAN GRANT
FY 1979 – 1980

	Earned	Unearned		Earned	Unearned
State Total	14.6	7.5			
Area 1 - Total	14.7	7.9	Area 4 - Total	15.9	9.4
Baxter	13.7	26.0	Arkansas	3.0	8.5
Benton	5.2	12.4	Ashley	8.2	14.8
Boone	5.5	13.6	Bradley	9.6	16.5
Carroll	7.0	22.5	Chicot	8.9	17.3
Crawford	6.8	10.1	Cleveland	11.7	16.9
Franklin	13.8	17.5	Desha	8.4	13.6
Johnson	14.5	17.9	Drew	11.5	15.3
Logan	7.7	12.1	Grant	11.3	15.5
Madison	10.3	22.1	Jefferson	9.4	14.1
Marion	9.1	11.9	Lee	10.9	19.6
Newton	17.8	24.7	Lincoln	9.9	15.9
Searcy	8.8	12.3	Monroe	8.7	19.0
Sebastian	6.0	14.0	Phillips	10.8	18.5
Stone	12.8	12.8	St. Francis	8.6	14.7
Van Buren	5.2	10.4			
Washington	7.7	16.9			
Area 2 - Total	15.6	8.2	Area 5 - Total	11.6	4.8
Clay	13.3	22.7	Clark	7.3	12.8
Craighead	6.6	15.1	Cleburne	11.3	18.3
Crittenden	6.7	13.3	Conway	5.3	8.7
Cross	7.6	15.0	Faulkner	8.5	14.1
Fulton	19.1	31.9	Garland	6.1	13.6
Greene	7.9	16.7	Hot Spring	7.9	12.1
Independence	5.7	12.3	Lonoke	6.1	11.9
Izard	3.6	14.5	Perry	12.3	14.0
Jackson	7.7	17.6	Pope	2.2	8.0
Lawrence	14.5	20.8	Prairie	8.7	19.0
Mississippi	8.3	16.0	Pulaski-South	3.7	11.8
Poinsett	8.4	15.0	Pulaski-North	3.9	10.1
Randolph	9.1	16.2	Saline	3.7	9.4
Sharp	10.9	17.1	White	8.8	11.1
Woodruff	10.7	15.8			
Area 3 - Total	15.4	6.7			
Calhoun	6.9	13.9			
Columbia	11.0	23.1			
Dallas	4.4	11.4			
Hempstead	5.0	13.8			
Howard	10.4	19.5			
Lafayette	9.0	12.4			
Little River	11.7	19.2			
Miller	5.7	10.3			
Montgomery	8.5	19.1			
Nevada	6.8	18.8			
Ouachita	5.3	14.6			
Pike	7.9	14.3			
Polk	5.0	15.6			
Scott	12.7	33.1			
Sevier	8.5	18.3			
Union	5.0	12.9			
Yell	8.3	16.6			

CHILDREN RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
AS OF JUNE 30, 1980

	Under 6		6–12		13–17		18–20		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
State Total	11,385	11,241	11,004	10,835	6,412	6,584	822	696	29,623	29,356
Area 1 - Total	1,094	959	1,218	1,145	672	585	33	33	3,017	2,722
Baxter	27	18	27	30	23	9	1	–	78	57
Benton	139	115	178	148	66	76	2	6	385	345
Boone	42	32	36	44	25	28	2	1	105	105
Carroll	24	20	37	28	24	12	–	–	85	60
Crawford	133	141	137	126	58	61	1	–	329	328
Franklin	25	27	36	30	23	15	–	1	84	73
Johnson	36	32	46	36	36	22	–	3	118	93
Logan	65	43	91	67	55	41	5	4	216	155
Madison	16	27	24	14	24	16	–	–	64	57
Marion	26	27	27	28	14	9	–	–	67	64
Newton	16	19	30	25	28	20	2	4	76	68
Searcy	13	15	24	26	19	22	4	3	60	66
Sebastian	265	212	197	219	121	92	7	7	590	530
Stone	22	23	43	47	34	46	1	1	100	117
Van Buren	35	30	53	37	25	19	3	–	116	86
Washington	210	178	232	240	97	97	5	3	544	518
Area 2 - Total	2,196	2,241	2,288	2,178	1,348	1,416	168	114	6,000	5,949
Clay	44	46	78	64	51	50	5	6	178	166
Craighead	162	179	181	175	91	78	8	5	442	437
Crittenden	602	549	592	605	335	372	66	29	1,595	1,555
Cross	144	170	130	140	84	96	13	8	371	414
Fulton	7	10	24	15	13	13	2	1	46	39
Greene	72	82	77	75	70	47	5	2	224	206
Independence	71	70	107	68	47	49	5	4	230	191
Izard	13	12	15	17	23	10	2	1	53	40
Jackson	149	156	134	122	74	87	4	7	361	372
Lawrence	84	56	80	58	39	57	2	4	205	175
Mississippi	548	557	476	476	286	304	31	27	1,341	1,364
Poinsett	151	175	187	186	97	122	10	6	445	489
Randolph	34	21	41	37	23	37	–	–	98	95
Sharp	29	35	53	47	38	24	1	1	121	107
Woodruff	86	123	113	93	77	70	14	13	290	299

CHILDREN RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
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	Under 6		6–12		13–17		18–20		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Area 3 - Total	1,706	1,661	1,637	1,695	972	1,060	107	100	4,422	4,516
Calhoun	48	34	28	37	20	39	6	2	102	112
Columbia	150	158	193	204	132	118	14	17	489	497
Dallas	87	74	83	92	57	55	1	7	228	228
Hempstead	113	110	90	117	43	67	3	6	249	300
Howard	18	32	40	31	23	17	–	3	81	83
Lafayette	74	72	83	88	59	70	5	5	221	235
Little River	49	61	54	62	28	30	6	3	137	156
Miller	215	207	189	188	106	112	7	8	517	515
Montgomery	15	8	12	14	13	10	1	1	41	33
Nevada	60	82	66	78	57	45	4	6	187	211
Ouachita	264	275	212	221	122	159	23	19	621	674
Pike	21	25	17	30	22	10	1	–	61	65
Polk	67	64	68	76	34	47	3	1	172	188
Scott	34	39	57	41	22	19	1	–	114	99
Sevier	31	23	29	32	18	19	–	1	78	75
Union	404	346	362	327	180	198	30	19	976	890
Yell	56	51	54	57	36	45	2	2	148	155
Area 4 - Total	3,328	3,372	3,264	3,195	2,110	2,159	353	345	9,055	9,071
Arkansas	162	158	131	133	62	71	11	6	366	368
Ashley	186	212	183	184	126	112	14	10	509	518
Bradley	74	67	88	84	55	42	4	6	221	199
Chicot	345	360	302	298	188	212	34	32	869	902
Cleveland	21	24	42	41	19	20	1	4	83	89
Desha	208	217	243	196	134	134	16	19	601	566
Drew	58	67	69	65	41	40	9	5	177	177
Grant	13	20	35	21	13	20	3	1	64	62
Jefferson	727	681	622	608	362	367	36	43	1,747	1,699
Lee	238	219	274	277	206	210	41	50	759	756
Lincoln	111	96	85	103	69	68	12	13	277	280
Monroe	117	128	136	139	106	125	30	21	389	413
Phillips	700	775	696	675	475	482	105	93	1,976	2,025
St. Francis	368	348	358	371	254	256	37	42	1,017	1,017

CHILDREN RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
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	Under 6		6–12		13–17		18–20		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Area 5 - Total	3,061	3,008	2,597	2,622	1,310	1,364	161	104	7,129	7,098
Clark	70	72	63	69	44	35	8	3	185	179
Cleburne	32	18	35	23	21	14	–	–	88	55
Conway	91	87	80	89	41	47	1	4	213	227
Faulkner	51	47	69	54	30	28	5	2	155	131
Garland	205	214	164	149	106	77	6	4	481	444
Hot Spring	86	109	64	64	36	31	–	–	186	204
Lonoke	104	113	106	119	75	80	6	2	291	314
Perry	16	13	24	26	6	17	3	2	49	58
Pope	113	102	98	107	47	49	2	2	260	260
Prairie	40	41	57	44	34	38	8	3	139	126
Pulaski-South	1,474	1,449	1,150	1,186	516	553	71	48	3,211	3,236
Pulaski-North	568	551	484	476	221	264	34	26	1,307	1,317
Saline	118	108	109	97	56	49	6	5	289	259
White	93	84	94	119	77	82	11	3	275	288

ADULTS RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
AS OF JUNE 30, 1980

	14-19		20-29		30-39		40-44		45 & Over		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
STATE TOTAL	7	2,048	83	10,634	192	4,776	109	1,299	281	2,215	672	20,972
Area 1 Total	1	157	20	1,039	56	587	29	128	43	193	149	2,104
Baxter	-	7	-	22	1	17	-	3	-	7	1	56
Benton	-	10	2	122	7	79	2	9	1	22	12	242
Boone	-	5	1	34	1	29	3	6	2	12	7	86
Carroll	-	5	1	21	2	14	1	5	1	5	5	50
Crawford	-	26	3	135	5	43	4	13	5	15	17	232
Franklin	-	4	-	32	-	11	2	9	-	8	2	64
Johnson	-	8	1	35	4	28	2	2	2	9	9	82
Logan	-	5	-	52	3	41	-	12	3	15	6	125
Madison	-	2	3	20	1	15	1	4	3	4	8	45
Marion	-	4	-	30	3	12	-	4	1	2	4	52
Newton	-	-	1	13	3	16	2	6	11	18	17	53
Searcy	-	-	1	14	3	17	-	5	1	6	5	42
Sebastian	1	48	3	234	4	95	2	23	4	25	14	425
Stone	-	3	-	27	4	28	4	8	2	11	10	77
Van Buren	-	5	-	37	-	25	3	6	3	10	6	83
Washington	-	25	4	211	15	117	3	13	4	24	26	390
Area 2 Total	2	417	19	2,117	46	934	32	296	80	490	179	4,254
Clay	-	9	-	47	7	31	1	16	9	24	17	127
Craighead	-	24	3	189	10	75	3	13	11	30	27	331
Crittenden	1	134	2	624	3	246	2	75	4	118	12	1,197
Cross	-	29	-	131	-	54	1	16	2	26	3	256
Fulton	-	-	-	14	1	12	1	5	5	7	7	38
Greene	-	13	1	77	4	39	3	12	4	21	12	162
Independence	-	7	3	65	4	44	1	14	6	15	14	145
Izard	-	-	1	18	3	9	1	-	4	7	9	34
Jackson	-	34	3	134	2	56	1	16	4	28	10	268
Lawrence	-	8	-	65	1	37	6	13	5	22	12	145
Mississippi	-	99	1	462	2	186	3	46	7	99	13	892
Poinsett	-	29	3	138	9	75	5	33	10	48	27	323
Randolph	-	6	-	25	-	13	2	11	-	7	2	62
Sharp	1	5	2	32	-	23	1	9	4	16	8	85
Woodruff	-	20	-	96	-	34	1	17	5	22	6	189

ADULTS RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
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	14-19		20-29		30-39		40-44		45 & Over		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Area 3 Total	1	324	10	1,614	26	793	23	218	39	316	99	3,265
Calhoun	-	10	-	39	-	17	1	7	-	7	1	80
Columbia	-	37	-	165	3	101	1	25	1	37	5	365
Dallas	-	16	-	86	2	42	1	12	2	13	5	169
Hempstead	-	18	-	105	1	45	1	10	1	22	3	200
Howard	-	5	-	20	-	17	1	5	1	7	2	54
Lafayette	-	8	-	77	-	35	2	11	1	15	3	146
Little River	-	11	1	38	1	25	-	11	-	14	2	99
Miller	-	35	3	206	2	104	3	20	4	43	12	408
Montgomery	-	2	1	11	-	6	-	3	1	5	2	27
Nevada	-	17	1	65	1	37	1	10	4	14	7	143
Ouachita	1	55	-	261	3	88	5	25	4	42	13	471
Pike	-	4	1	21	-	5	1	4	3	4	5	38
Polk	-	6	1	59	7	45	1	11	6	11	15	132
Scott	-	10	1	37	2	25	2	5	2	8	7	85
Sevier	-	7	-	24	-	16	2	3	2	4	4	54
Union	-	81	-	364	1	154	-	44	5	61	6	704
Yell	-	2	1	36	3	31	1	12	2	9	7	90
Area 4 Total	1	651	8	3,027	24	1,325	12	393	67	851	112	6,247
Arkansas	-	40	1	137	-	58	1	13	1	21	3	269
Ashley	-	45	1	198	1	68	-	7	2	49	4	367
Bradley	-	16	-	63	1	32	1	14	1	13	3	138
Chicot	-	52	2	295	2	119	-	46	12	79	16	591
Cleveland	-	5	-	24	2	16	-	4	2	1	4	50
Desha	-	46	-	182	2	84	-	24	8	51	10	387
Drew	-	11	-	59	1	29	-	17	3	20	4	136
Grant	-	6	-	13	-	8	1	3	2	9	3	39
Jefferson	1	139	-	689	5	253	1	64	5	128	12	1,273
Lee	-	46	1	216	2	112	2	44	10	84	15	502
Lincoln	-	26	2	82	1	37	-	9	-	33	3	187
Monroe	-	25	-	130	1	58	1	23	4	56	6	292
Phillips	-	128	1	591	6	286	1	83	11	204	19	1,292
St. Francis	-	66	-	348	-	165	4	42	6	103	10	724

ADULTS RECEIVING AFDC BY AGE GROUP
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	14-19		20-29		30-39		40-44		45 & Over		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Area 5 Total	2	499	26	2,837	40	1,137	13	264	52	365	133	5,102
Clark	-	12	-	65	1	36	-	7	3	9	4	129
Cleburne	-	4	1	25	-	12	-	6	1	5	2	52
Conway	-	20	1	69	3	27	1	13	4	11	9	140
Faulkner	-	7	-	57	-	23	-	6	1	6	1	99
Garland	1	42	4	181	6	93	1	23	7	19	19	358
Hot Spring	-	16	2	94	1	34	-	4	3	4	6	152
Lonoke	-	20	1	107	2	46	-	14	6	21	9	208
Perry	-	3	-	11	1	11	-	2	1	6	2	33
Pope	-	15	2	104	5	41	2	12	6	16	15	188
Prairie	-	3	-	43	1	20	1	8	3	21	5	95
Pulaski-South	1	231	9	1,341	7	488	3	97	7	148	27	2,305
Pulaski-North	-	89	2	531	4	209	2	42	3	59	11	930
Saline	-	23	3	133	5	42	2	13	1	13	11	224
White	-	14	1	76	4	55	1	17	6	27	12	189

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE -- AFDC
FY 1979 - 1980

	Received	Approved	Denied
State Total	26,571	15,780	10,511
Area 1 - Total	4,785	2,663	2,013
Baxter	202	96	108
Benton	1,103	394	643
Boone	207	113	92
Carroll	156	73	80
Crawford	581	345	200
Franklin	90	64	21
Johnson	141	108	31
Logan	156	109	42
Madison	106	62	36
Marion	90	49	41
Newton	62	39	18
Searcy	45	43	7
Sebastian	775	523	267
Stone	105	76	27
Van Buren	116	98	25
Washington	850	471	375
Area 2 - Total	5,375	3,443	1,902
Clay	197	115	79
Craighead	511	327	170
Crittenden	840	559	310
Cross	307	204	88
Fulton	88	60	26
Greene	368	204	146
Independence	349	199	153
Izard	57	48	11
Jackson	399	202	191
Lawrence	250	157	90
Mississippi	1,166	755	393
Poinsett	384	286	112
Randolph	116	74	40
Sharp	129	88	42
Woodruff	214	165	51
Area 3 - Total	3,864	2,321	1,[illegible]2
Calhoun	86	65	26
Columbia	327	176	167
Dallas	155	111	50
Hempstead	329	129	194
Howard	109	59	62
Lafayette	209	92	107
Little River	114	67	48
Miller	577	281	307
Montgomery	44	27	18
Nevada	161	107	59
Ouachita	388	297	96
Pike	78	38	34
Polk	234	163	57
Scott	154	100	44
Sevier	98	49	44
Union	650	438	189
Yell	151	122	30

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE – AFDC
FY 1979 - 1980

	Received	Approved	Denied
Area 4 - Total	4,795	3,163	1,543
Arkansas	308	244	65
Ashley	317	235	95
Bradley	221	111	105
Chicot	399	276	116
Cleveland	56	44	12
Desha	240	181	55
Drew	183	94	91
Grant	88	48	37
Jefferson	1,118	649	447
Lee	334	225	96
Lincoln	149	121	31
Monroe	219	146	41
Phillips	704	467	237
St. Francis	459	322	115
Area 5 - Total	7,752	4,190	3,521
Clark	212	103	111
Cleburne	103	67	31
Conway	266	172	91
Faulkner	296	113	180
Garland	838	418	393
Hot Spring	299	171	135
Lonoke	314	198	127
Perry	56	49	9
Pope	350	236	108
Prairie	86	64	21
Pulaski-South	3,179	1,580	1,557
Pulaski-North	910	567	395
Saline	430	224	185
White	413	228	178

REASONS FOR CLOSING CASES
FY 1979 - 1980

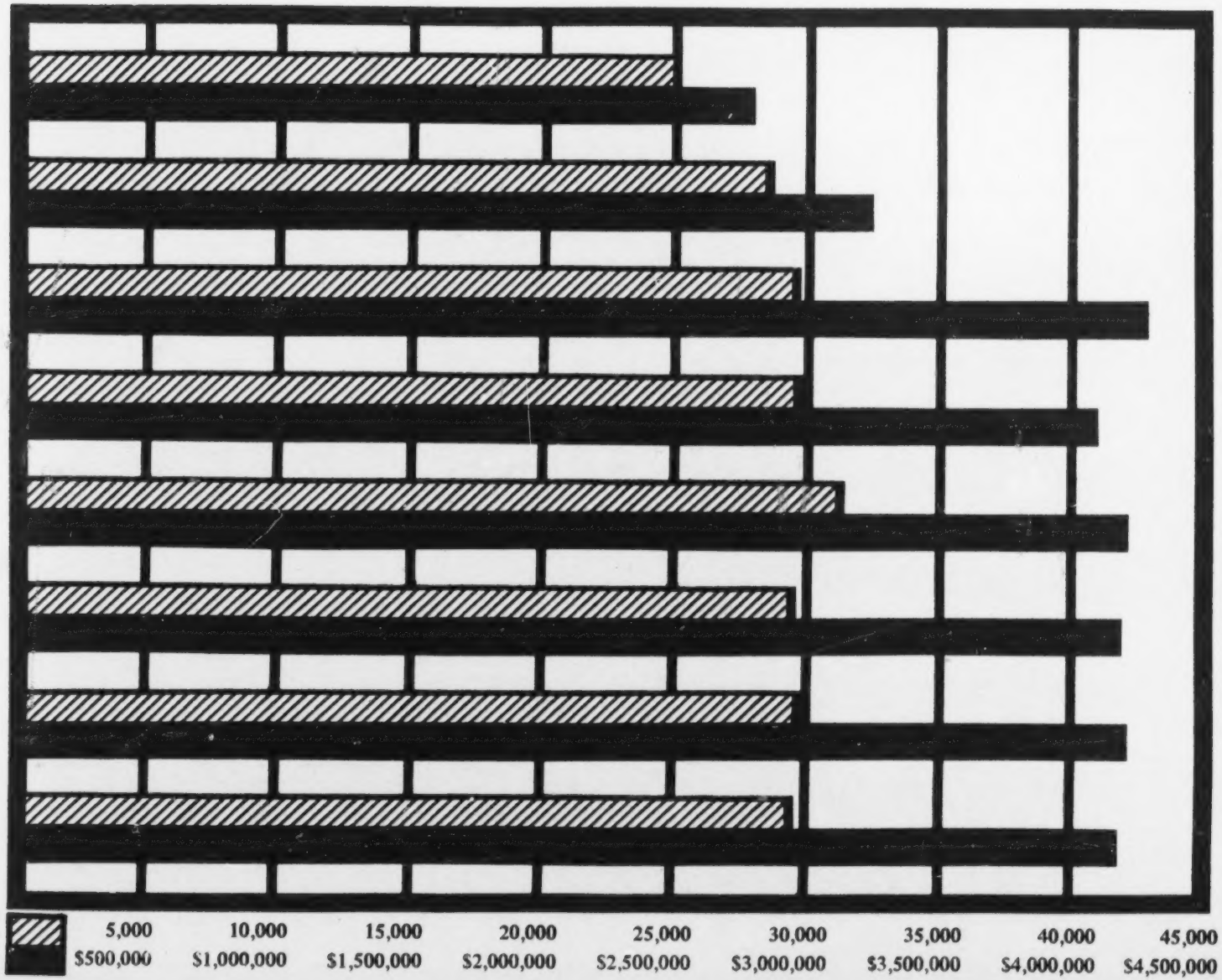
Reasons for Closing - Total	AFDC 15,731
Death	10
Employment Or Increased Earnings Of Any Individual In the Assistance Unit	4,838
Receipt Of Or Increase In Support As A Result Of	
Remarriage of mother-step-parent will support	249
Contribution of absent parent or Other Person Outside Home	306
Contribution of Other person(s) in Home	118
Receipt Of Or Increase Cash Benefits Or Pensions	
Social Security Benefits	568
Other Federal	128
State or Local	193
Non-Governmental	60
Unemployment Insurance Benefits	65
Other Changes In Resources Or Requirements Due To	
Property or resources in excess of maximum limit	94
Decrease in requirements	25
Other	25
No Longer Meets Eligibility Requirements Due To	
No longer blind, disabled or incapacitated	119
Admitted to Instititution	9
Absent parent returned to home	439
No longer an eligible child in home	1,418
No longer resides in state	2,190
Change in law or agency policy	1
Discharged from Long Term Care Facility	–
Other	162
Refused To Comply With Procedural Requirements	
Refused to accept referral, employment or training under WIN	18
Refused to accept suitable employment and/or training other than WIN	9
Refused to furnish required information	1,778
Refused to appear for scheduled appointment with agency	1,813
Refused to comply with other procedural requirements	45
Client requested closure: Refused to give reason	233
Agency Unable To Locate	446
IV-D	
Refused to comply with IV-D requirement	115
Increase in support payments from a legally liable individual	248
Other	9

AVERAGE MONTHLY NUMBER FAMILIES RECEIVING AFDC MONEY PAYMENT AND AVERAGE MONTHLY MONEY PAYMENT PER CASE FY 1937-38 - 1979-80

YEAR	CASES	AVERAGE GRANT
1937-38	4,861	$ 10.45
1938-39	4,030	8.34
1939-40	4,051	8.44
1940-41	6,025	13.17
1941-42	6,113	13.84
1942-43	5,423	19.53
1943-44	4,884	24.87
1944-45	4,373	28.28
1945-46	6,258	26.77
1946-47	5,552	34.03
1947-48	8,254	35.52
1948-49	10,374	36.87
1949-50	14,040	41.46
1950-51	17,731	40.27
1951-52	13,797	37.80
1952-53	12,542	52.39
1953-54	7,204	53.60
1954-55	8,163	54.45
1955-56	7,742	55.60
1956-57	7,915	56.20
1957-58	8,062	56.65
1958-59	7,884	56.52
1959-60	7,214	59.97
1960-61	7,027	61.18
1961-62	6,799	60.55
1962-63	6,581	60.52
1963-64	6,869	62.25
1964-65	7,210	63.38
1965-66	7,433	64.89
1966-67	8,146	78.68
1967-68	9,292	80.45
1968-69	9,780	78.42
1969-70	11,378	87.07
1970-71	16,169	92.46
1971-72	20,365	95.94
1972-73	22,819	107.00
1973-74	26,417	112.00
1974-75	30,532	124.88
1975-76	34,922	119.96
1976-77	31,605	130.12 1/
1977-78	29,963	141.46
1978-79	29,321	142.97
1979-80	29,335	143.22

1/ Change to flat grant - decrease in number of cases with increase in payment.

AFDC CASES AND GRANT AMOUNT
June 1973 – 1980



AFDC MONEY PAYMENT RECIPIENTS AND AVERAGE PAYMENT BY STATE, JUNE 1980

	Number of Recipients				Payments Average Per	
	Families	Total	Children	Adults	Family	Recipient
Total	3,672,033	10,657,457	7,349,209	3,308,248	$271.06	$93.39
Alabama	62,526	178,169	128,155	50,014	110.56	38.80
Alaska	6,048	15,211	10,477	4,734	330.47	131.40
Arizona	18,875	52,642	38,845	13,797	171.67	61.55
Arkansas	29,412	84,541	61,771	22,770	143.49	49.92
California	473,717	1,379,479	925,999	453,480	365.74	125.60
Colorado	28,000	77,302	53,072	24,230	222.90	80.74
Connecticut	48,692	139,534	96,814	42,720	338.27	118.04
Delaware	11,655	32,105	22,277	9,828	225.97	82.03
District of Columbia	30,295	83,813	57,719	26,094	252.49	91.26
Florida	95,276	259,972	186,632	73,340	173.43	63.56
Georgia	84,875	220,909	160,473	60,436	123.88	47.59
Guam	1,448	5,131	3,768	1,363	208.20	58.76
Hawaii	19,646	60,552	40,376	20,176	384.59	124.78
Idaho	7,936	21,350	14,543	6,807	266.67	99.12
Illinois	216,359	677,477	475,297	202,180	278.67	88.99
Indiana	56,275	159,857	113,010	46,847	202.50	71.29
Iowa	39,113	107,756	71,686	36,070	305.44	110.87
Kansas	26,474	69,860	50,226	19,634	263.73	99.94
Louisiana	69,107	212,860	156,380	56,480	138.24	44.88
Maine	21,521	61,011	40,225	20,786	231.82	81.77
Maryland	75,963	208,792	142,348	66,444	216.44	78.74
Massachusetts	124,116	347,919	225,789	122,130	327.83	116.95
Michigan	232,625	708,979	474,037	234,942	375.05	123.06
Minnesota	50,475	136,791	91,286	45,505	325.32	120.04
Mississippi	58,419	173,869	128,722	45,147	87.31	29.34
Missouri	68,896	202,415	137,142	65,273	206.56	70.31
Montana	7,073	19,952	13,651	6,301	229.19	81.25
Nebraska	12,830	35,781	24,897	10,884	262.96	94.29
Nevada	4,394	12,131	8,462	3,669	198.84	72.02
New Hampshire	8,219	22,618	15,004	7,614	268.72	97.65
New Jersey	147,881	457,058	315,808	141,250	298.53	96.59
New Mexico	18,597	53,701	37,147	16,554	171.86	59.52
New York	363,133	1,097,381	756,091	341,290	373.27	123.52
North Carolina	79,146	201,845	143,688	58,157	163.85	64.25
North Dakota	4,849	13,127	9,089	4,038	266.01	98.26
Ohio	184,539	524,843	354,098	170,745	248.30	87.30
Oklahoma	30,387	89,655	65,434	24,221	248.39	84.19
Oregon	39,969	105,695	67,673	38,022	337.48	127.62
Pennsylvania	214,587	626,207	430,302	195,905	294.58	100.95
Puerto Rico	43,954	165,465	116,676	48,789	47.88	12.72
Rhode Island	18,365	52,757	35,944	16,813	290.02	100.96
South Carolina	56,174	154,584	110,508	44,076	100.57	36.55
South Dakota	7,851	21,100	15,289	5,811	213.24	79.34
Tennessee	62,043	164,166	116,959	47,207	112.76	42.62
Texas	99,858	304,612	222,603	82,009	108.71	35.64
Utah	12,563	38,992	24,385	14,607	293.58	94.59
Vermont	7,894	23,537	14,969	8,568	329.78	110.60
Virgin Islands	1,017	3,080	2,474	606	143.64	47.43
Virginia	60,745	165,275	115,216	50,059	205.03	75.36
Washington	56,177	157,589	99,028	58,561	346.07	123.37
West Virginia	26,698	76,097	57,302	18,795	176.60	61.96
Wisconsin	79,317	216,812	146,146	70,666	355.77	130.15
Wyoming	2,784	7,052	5,017	2,035	261.05	103.06

Source: ORS Report A-2 (6/80)
Includes AFDC Foster Care.
Excludes vendor payments for medical care and recipients of only such payments.

WORK INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Public Law 92-223, known as the Talmadge Amendments, was enacted December 28, 1971. The WIN program as prescribed by these amendments became operative on July 1, 1972. Significantly, a major emphasis of the amendments is on inter-departmental cooperation. Much of the success of the "new" WIN is dependent upon effective interagency liaison and coordination.

WIN is a joint effort by Arkansas Employment Security and Arkansas Social Services to bring to bear the resources of both agencies for the benefit of AFDC clients. A separate Administrative Unit within the Social Services Division and Employment Security WIN work together to plan the local operational plan, develop and utilize community resources, arrange for child care and other services that will eliminate barriers to employment and a client's goal of self support. Employment Security staff provides orientation, job development and placement incentive payments to cover food away from home, additional clothing that is job related and some transportation.

WIN continues its efforts to prepare appropriate AFDC recipients for paid employment through a comprehensive program of work experience, education and training. The objectives are to break the dependency cycle and to strengthen family life of AFDC families and to plan for eventual or immediate employment of adults and older children. The cash savings in welfare payments as a result of WIN does not reflect the total savings generated. Additional savings are realized from the loss of medical and other agency benefits, as well as, savings resulting from welfare avoidance. Welfare avoidance occurs when a client is referred for WIN registration, is referred directly to a job and never receives AFDC assistance. The real value of WIN cannot be measured in terms of dollars and cents alone. The positive effect WIN has upon the client, family, home, and community must be taken into consideration.

There is no way to measure the worth and esteem gained by employment and earning a greater part of one's livelihood, if not meeting all of one's needs. The pride of an applicant or recipient who receives training and employment and achieves independence of the Welfare System as well as the impact of a working mother upon her children cannot be measured in terms of dollars and cents.

The referral of mandatory applicants and recipients is the responsibility of the eligibility worker in each District Office within a WIN area. The actual registration is the responsibility of Employment Security WIN. All recipients and/or applicants who have been deemed mandatory registrants must be registered for WIN prior to being approved for a money grant.

Under the WIN program there are two types of registrants – those who are required to register for WIN as a condition of eligibility for AFDC and those who are exempt but volunteer to participate in WIN. Persons who may be exempt are: a child under age 16 or 16 to 21 years of age enrolled as a full-time student; a person who is ill may have a temporary (90 days) exemption; a person of advanced age (65 years of age or older); a person medically determined as incapacitated; a person needed in the home to care for another member of the household whose condition has been medically determined as requiring the continued presence of that person; a mother or caretaker relative of a child under six; a mother or female caretaker of a child where the father or other adult relative is required to register; and persons who are remote from WIN project offices.

All persons who do not meet the exemption criteria must register. If an individual found to be a mandatory applicant or recipient refuses to register, his needs will not be taken into consideration in planning the budget for AFDC and if he is the recipient, his needs will be removed from AFDC if he fails to register for WIN. If a mandatory registrant refuses without good cause to accept training or employment, sanctions concerning assistance payments will be applied and the AFDC grant will be reduced or the case closed.

WIN PROGRAM ACTIVITY
FY 1979 – 1980

APPRAISALS AND CERTIFICATIONS

Appraisals [1/]		5,526
Pre-Certification Contacts [2/]		4,636
Certifications Requested		3,550
Certifications Made		3,142
Services Needed	3,127	
Services Not Needed	15	
Certification Could Not Be Made		408

[1/] A three participant (SS-WIN, ES-WIN and client) interview to determine employability readiness and plan.

[2/] Any contact and/or referral to prepare client for certification.

AFDC REDUCTIONS [1/]

	Off AFDC		Still On AFDC	
	Persons	Reductions	Persons	Reductions
Total	1,743	$227,724	610	$47,703
Employment	1,449	192,958	571	43,869
WIN/OJT	46	6,416	11	1,128
WIN/PSE	6	722	4	452
Suspense	131	19,048	24	2,254
Sanction	111	8,580	–	–

It has not been feasible for WIN to be a statewide program. As of June 30, 1979 participating WIN counties were: Arkansas, Clark, Columbia, Conway, Craighead, Crawford, Crittenden, Cross, Garland, Greene, Hot Spring, Independence, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Logan, Mississippi, Ouachita, Perry, Poinsett, Pope, Pulaski-South, Pulaski-North, Sebastian, St. Francis, Union, White, Woodruff and Yell.

[1/] Savings calculated for month of reduction only.

WIN SERVICES AND EXPENDITURES
FY 1979 – 1980

SERVICES

	Number Receiving Services	
	Adults	Children
Total [1/]	3,207	966
Day Care	–	633
Employment Services	3,115	255
Training and Education	282	34
Health Related	51	3
Family Maintenance	975	68
Family Planning	143	26
Transportation	168	35

EXPENDITURES

Total	$254,691
Services	85,241
Day Care	84,479
Health Related	762
Program Support [2/]	169,450

1/ Unduplicated Count
2/ Agency's share in development and delivery of WIN

CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

The Child Support Enforcement Program was established in response to Public Law 63-647, enacted January 4, 1975. This law amended Title IV of the Social Security Act by creating a new Part D, "Child Support and Enforcement of Paternity". The main purposes of Title IV-D are establishing paternity of children born out of wedlock and enforcing the financial obligations of all parents to their children. The rationale behind these objectives is that all children are entitled to have their parents identified and to obtain support from them.

In order to ensure full federal financial participation in the state's Public Assistance program, each state is required to create or designate a single and separate IV-D agency to perform the following basic functions:

- Location of absent parents
- Establishment of paternity for children born out of wedlock
- Establishment or amendment of child support obligations by court action
- Enforcement of child support obligations
- Collection and distribution of child support payments

The program is funded through 75% federal financial participation and 25% state funding. Child support enforcement services are provided by state staff and Local Child Support Enforcement Units operating under cooperative agreement with the State IV-D agency. Federal regulations provide for the State to enter into such cooperative arrangements with officials of local government to provide the same level of service as the State is mandated to provide. Currently, twenty local CSE Units are in existence covering thirty-one counties.

Each applicant for Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), as a condition of eligibility, is required to assign to the State any rights to support from the absent parent. The State then pursues the support obligation and the collection, if less than the AFDC grant, is applied against the grant to offset the welfare payment. If the amount of the support obligation and collection is greater than the AFDC grant, the family will cease receiving assistance payments and the support payments will be redirected to the family, thus reducing dependency on public assistance.

Child support enforcement services are also available to individuals not otherwise eligible (Non-AFDC). Costs for providing these services are deducted from the support collection. The availability of this service may preclude the necessity for such a family to seek public assistance.

Federal Parent Locate Services are available through a nationwide computer system. Other Federal resources include technical assistance provided through the Regional Office of Child Support Enforcement, IRS collection of certain support obligations, and garnishment procedures for the collection of support owed by federal employees, including military personnel.

All of the states and several foreign jurisdictions have enacted a Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act (URESA), or substantially similar acts, which provide for reciprocal interstate enforcement or establishment of support obligations.

The IV-D program is designed to be self-supporting. In FY 1979–1980, the State retained $679,796.00 as its share of child support collections. The State's share of expenditures was $352,511.00. This resulted in $327,285.00 net revenue to the state.

CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT
CASES AND COLLECTIONS
FY 1979 – 1980

Total Cases With Collections

Quarter	Total	Category		
		AFDC	Former AFDC	Non AFDC
July-September	13,461	8,374	1,826	3,261
October-December	13,964	8,124	1,926	3,914
January-March	14,564	8,121	2,142	4,301
April-June	15,689	8,665	2,203	4,821

Total Collections

Quarter	Total	Category		
		AFDC	Former AFDC	Non AFDC
July-September	$1,129,359.00	$580,779.00	$155,871.00	$392,709.00
October-December	1,210,643.00	574,163.00	170,096.00	466,384.00
January-March	1,280,561.00	584,099.00	181,467.00	514,995.00
April-June	1,384,728.00	612,662.00	186,601.00	585,465.00
Total for Year	$5,005,291.00	$2,351,703.00	$694,035.00	$1,959,553.00

Summary of Expenditures and Collections

Quarter	State Share of Collections	State Share Expenditures 1/	Net Revenue to State
July-September	$215,926.00	$ 71,372.00	$144,554.00
October-December	151,201.00	88,213.00	62,988.00
January-March	153,328.00	92,376.00	60,952.00
April-June	159,341.00	100,550.00	58,791.00
Total for Year	$679,796.00	$352,511.00	$327,285.00

1/ Does not include local match.

MEDICAL SERVICES

Medical Assistance Program

On January 1, 1970, the Medical Assistance program provided under Title XIX of the Social Security Act was implemented in Arkansas. Since that time, the program has expanded into a range of benefits that cover both mandatory and optional services provided under the Act. Mandatory services include:

- Inpatient Hospital
- Physicians
- Home Health Care
- Outpatient Hospital
- Other Lab and X-ray
- Rural Health Clinics
- Family Planning
- Transportation
- Early and Periodic Diagnosis, Screening and Treatment (EPSDT)

In addition to these mandatory services, Arkansas has elected to provide Medical Assistance benefits for the following optional services:

- Dental Care
- Visual Care
- Personal Care
- Domiciliary Care
- Chiropractic
- Inpatient Psychiatric
- Mental Health Clinics
- Hearing Aids
- Inpatient TB or Mental Disease

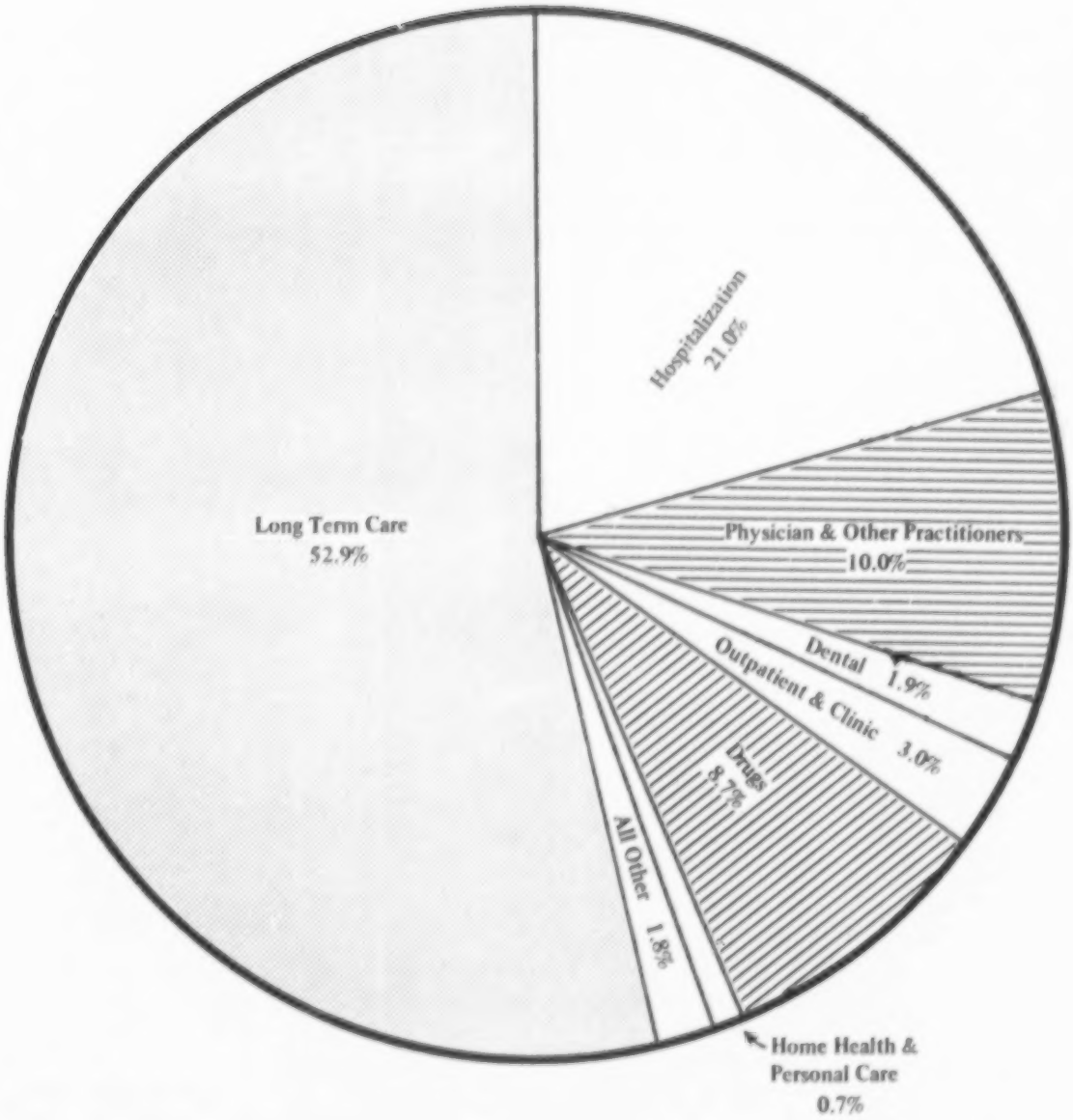
These Medical Assistance programs, otherwise known as Medicaid, are administered by the Office of Medical Services, a subdivision of the Social Services Division of the Department of Human Services. Medical Services is further divided into five major sections, which are:

- Medical Assistance
- Utilization Review
- Program Development
- Prescription Drugs
- Crippled Children's

The associated Office of Long Term Care administers Medicaid benefits for recipients in long term care facilities.

These programs together administered $231,854,783 in Medicaid benefits for 217,469 recipients and $1,791,039 for 9,440 children receiving Crippled Children's Services.

MEDICAL VENDOR PAYMENTS
FY 1979 – 1980



(Excludes SSA Buy-In Premiums)

MEDICAL VENDOR PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA	AB	AD	AFDC Adults	AFDC Children	FC	U-21	Total
Hospital	$ 4,864,155	$ 480,403	$16,542,121	$ 8,700,337	$ 7,203,680	$196,071	$4,868,259	$ 42,855,026
Outpatient Hospital	1,067,780	61,954	1,734,437	1,173,553	1,642,210	15,341	245,248	5,940,523
Clinic	15,843	8,014	329,610	179,329	202,157	22,331	20,126	777,410
Physician	3,549,709	196,406	6,252,750	5,368,586	4,242,408	53,710	1,792,973	21,456,542
Other Practitioners	265,389	3,573	222,118	174,189	245,997	2,187	42,903	956,356
Dental	95,781	11,704	308,306	631,793	2,870,901	21,044	434,539	4,374,068
Laboratory & X-Ray	5,245	2,386	123,255	101,763	40,070	252	18,320	291,291
Drugs	10,386,315	209,599	5,999,332	1,483,366	1,026,164	6,873	162,857	19,274,506
Home Health	33,270	13,349	134,838	3,804	11,052	361	1,948	198,622
Personal Care	1,036,045	26,376	253,157	14,402	6,043	79	4,214	1,340,316
Family Planning	–	4,905	44,078	958,537	88,005	165	28,238	1,123,928
Screening	–	761	8,613	29,829	1,436,493	4,537	75,373	1,555,606
Other	314,763	19,022	480,581	192,348	195,720	2,291	43,954	1,248,679
Subtotal	$21,634,295	$1,038,452	$32,433,196	$19,011,836	$19,210,900	$325,242	$7,738,952	$101,392,873
Long Term Care	73,943,031	1,275,711	43,197,652	–	42,776	66,032	10,970	118,536,172
Skilled Care	23,741,093	247,303	4,682,389	–	3,057	3,293	10,970	28,688,105
All Other Care	50,201,938	1,028,408	38,515,263	–	39,719	62,739	–	89,848,067
Total	$95,577,326	$2,314,163	$75,630,848	$19,011,836	$19,253,676	$391,274	$7,749,922	$219,929,045

Retro Hospital Settlements	$ 4,174,524
SSA Buy-In Premium	$ 7,751,214
TOTAL	$231,854,783

RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAID SERVICES BY CATEGORY AND BY TYPE OF SERVICE [1/]
FY 1979 - 1980

				AFDC				
	AA	AB	AD	Adults	Children	FC	U-21	Total
Unduplicated Count	60,804	1,528	38,676	32,012	71,152	1,768	11,529	217,469
Hospital	14,702	384	10,784	8,402	7,495	162	3,868	45,797
Outpatient Hospital	22,953	596	13,678	11,506	23,319	407	3,279	75,738
Clinic	282	38	2,290	2,107	1,505	229	295	6,746
Physician	42,461	1,231	29,920	25,935	50,335	1,272	8,549	159,703
Other Practitioners	6,550	91	5,176	4,265	6,821	128	1,140	24,171
Dental	2,000	161	4,161	6,580	24,225	485	2,872	40,484
Laboratory & X-Ray	177	73	3,028	4,163	2,150	59	818	10,468
Drugs	56,764	1,367	33,285	25,664	46,241	844	6,640	170,805
Home Health	188	22	285	22	35	2	8	562
Personal Care	1,338	27	337	39	27	2	11	1,781
Family Planning	–	28	463	7,435	2,154	31	852	10,963
Other	8,182	231	7,381	5,263	6,900	143	1,037	29,137
Screening	–	9	111	229	18,347	163	1,061	19,920
Long Term Care	15,438	184	5,860	–	11	13	1	21,507
Skilled Care	4,214	44	750	–	1	1	–	5,010
All Other Care	11,224	140	5,110	–	10	12	1	16,497

1/ Includes Medical Needy.

RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAL SERVICES BY AGE AND SEX BY TYPE OF SERVICE
FY 1979 - 1980

	Age in Years				Sex	
	Under 6	6–20	21–64	65 & Over	Male	Female
Unduplicated Count	37,007	55,688	56,502	68,272	76,576	140,893
Hospital	5,421	8,011	15,359	17,006	14,618	31,179
Outpatient Hospital	13,869	16,151	19,874	25,844	27,066	48,672
Clinic	298	2,140	3,931	377	1,653	5,093
Physician	28,328	38,162	44,657	48,556	54,853	104,850
Other Practitioners	1,118	7,817	7,646	7,590	7,004	17,167
Dental	6,869	23,146	8,055	2,414	15,769	24,715
Laboratory & X-Ray	947	3,065	6,236	220	2,107	8,361
Drugs	26,332	32,972	47,430	64,071	56,459	114,346
Family Planning	–	4,418	6,545	–	95	10,868
Home Health	38	34	265	225	148	414
Other [1/]	1,996	7,335	10,402	11,185	8,687	22,231
Screening	11,190	8,730	–	–	9,722	10,198
Long Term Care	162	781	3,905	16,659	7,454	14,053
Skilled Care	75	15	564	4,356	1,404	3,606
All Other Care	87	766	3,341	12,303	6,050	10,447

[1/] Includes Personal Care Services.

SERVICES FOR MEDICAL NEEDY BY CATEGORY AND BY TYPE OF SERVICE
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA	AB	AD	Adults	AFDC Children	Under 21	Total
Recipients [1]							
Unduplicated Count	1,197	7	2,127	2,382	3,175	11,529	20,417
Hospital	198	3	1,053	874	489	3,868	6,485
Outpatient Hospital	233	2	658	628	841	3,279	5,641
Clinic	2	–	75	61	32	295	465
Physician	573	5	1,618	1,775	2,159	8,549	14,679
Other Practitioners	96	–	173	264	413	1,140	2,086
Dental	17	–	97	189	998	2,872	4,173
Laboratory & X-Ray	15	–	148	224	103	818	1,308
Drugs	947	4	1,360	1,484	1,869	6,640	12,304
Home Health	3	–	18	5	3	8	37
Personal Care	6	1	11	2	3	11	34
Family Planning	–	–	4	137	104	852	1,097
Screening	–	–	–	–	107	1,061	1,168
Other	86	1	279	265	296	1,037	1,964
Long Term Care	–	–	–	–	–	1	1
Payments [2]							
Total	$305,682	$9,226	$3,537,174	$1,913,390	$1,230,628	$7,749,922	$14,746,022
Hospital	94,433	5,135	2,373,858	1,184,982	706,658	4,868,259	9,233,325
Outpatient Hospital	14,340	123	105,489	77,533	59,243	245,248	501,976
Clinic	42	–	12,749	5,287	3,057	20,126	41,261
Physician	81,201	2,216	801,190	506,772	246,751	1,792,973	3,431,103
Other Practitioners	4,094	–	7,506	11,756	15,265	42,903	81,524
Dental	767	–	8,623	10,767	138,750	434,539	593,446
Laboratory & X-Ray	630	–	9,963	7,306	2,551	18,320	38,770
Drugs	99,067	926	162,009	89,688	38,580	162,857	553,127
Home Health	2,161	–	11,154	1,450	502	1,948	17,215
Personal Care	3,533	532	9,203	1,050	233	4,214	18,765
Family Planning	–	–	117	3,140	2,819	28,238	34,314
Screening	–	–	358	89	7,793	75,373	83,613
Other	5,414	294	34,955	13,570	8,426	43,954	106,613
Long Term Care	–	–	–	–	–	10,970	10,970

[1] Included in total recipients receiving medical services page 34.

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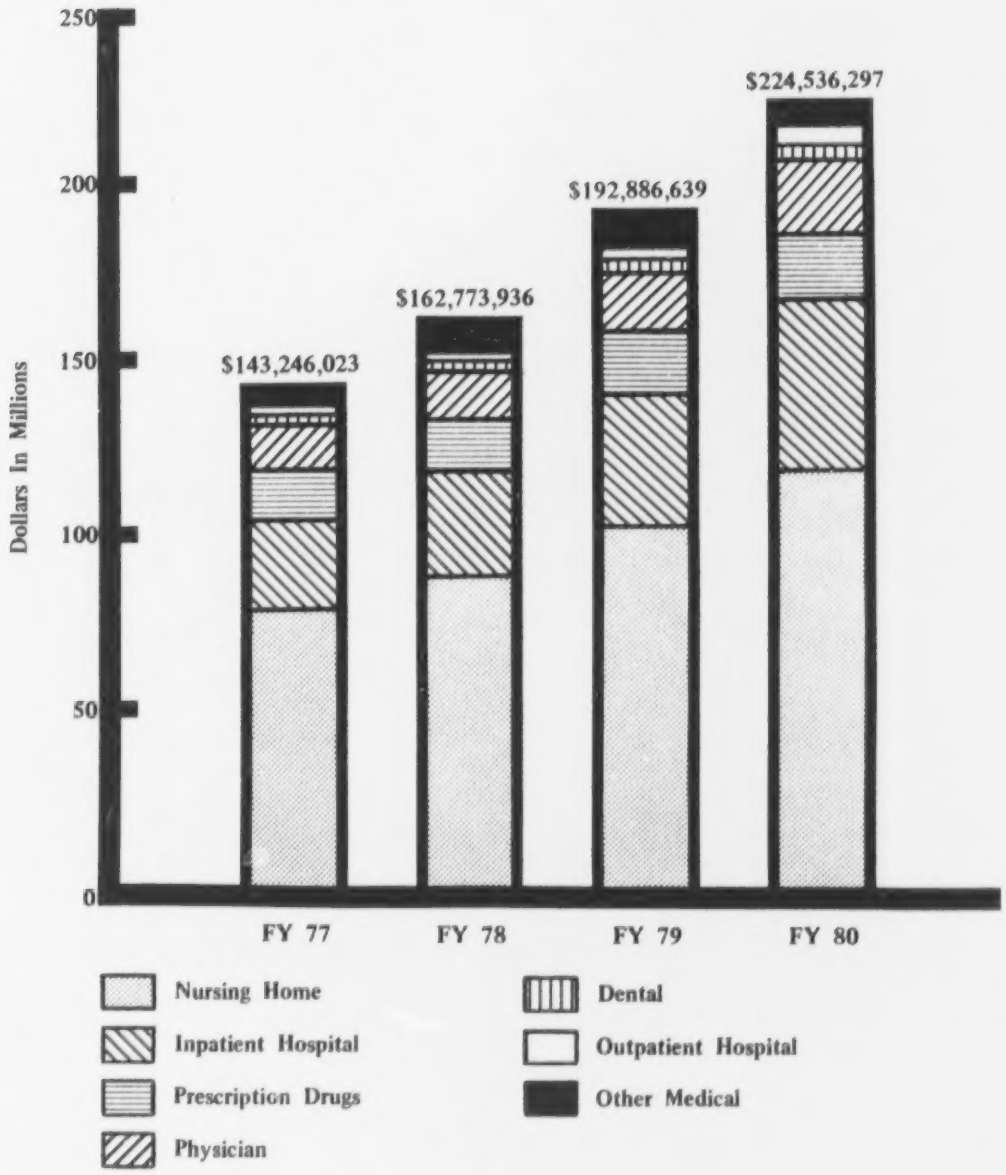
BY TYPE OF SERVICE
FY 1977 – 1980



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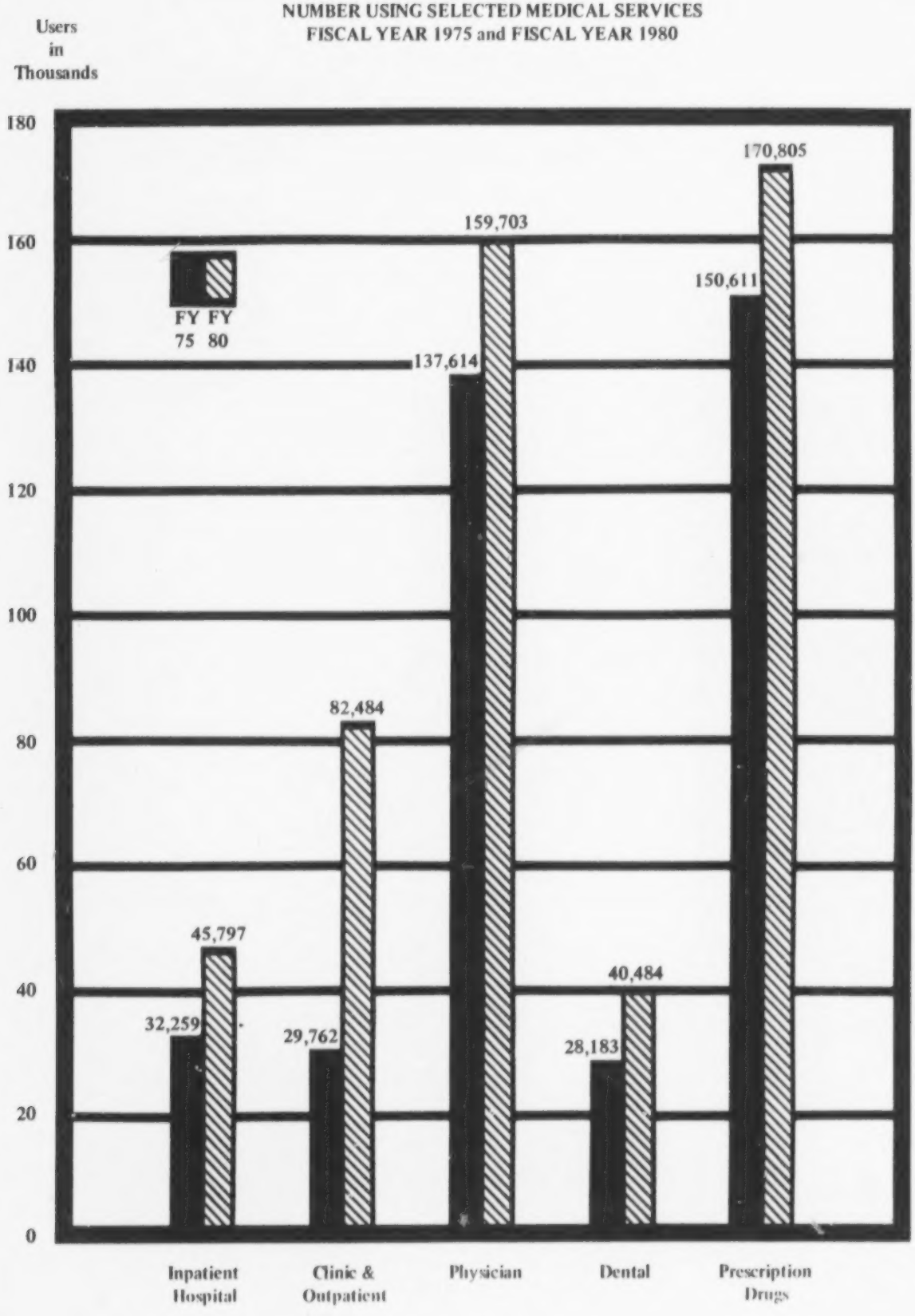

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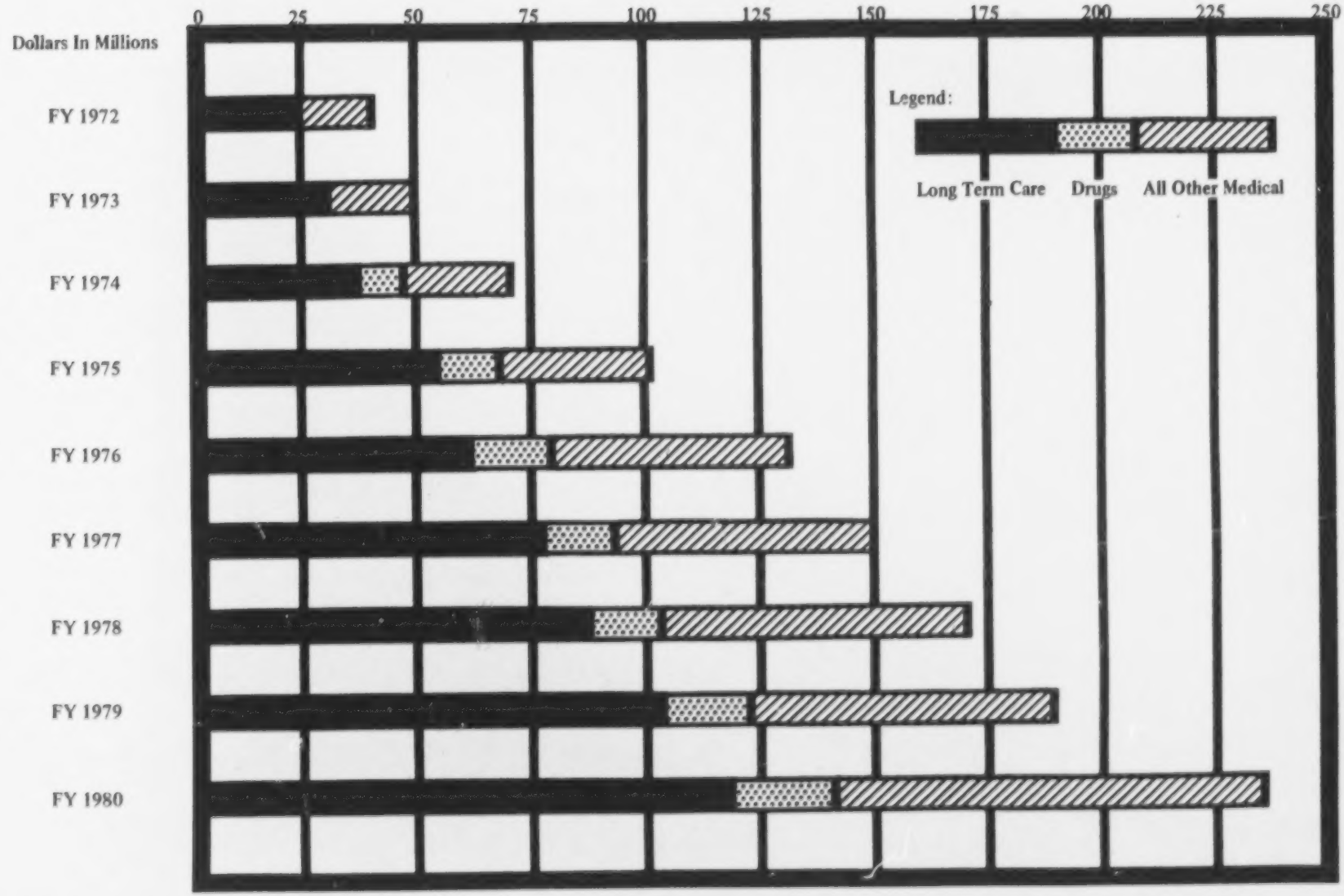

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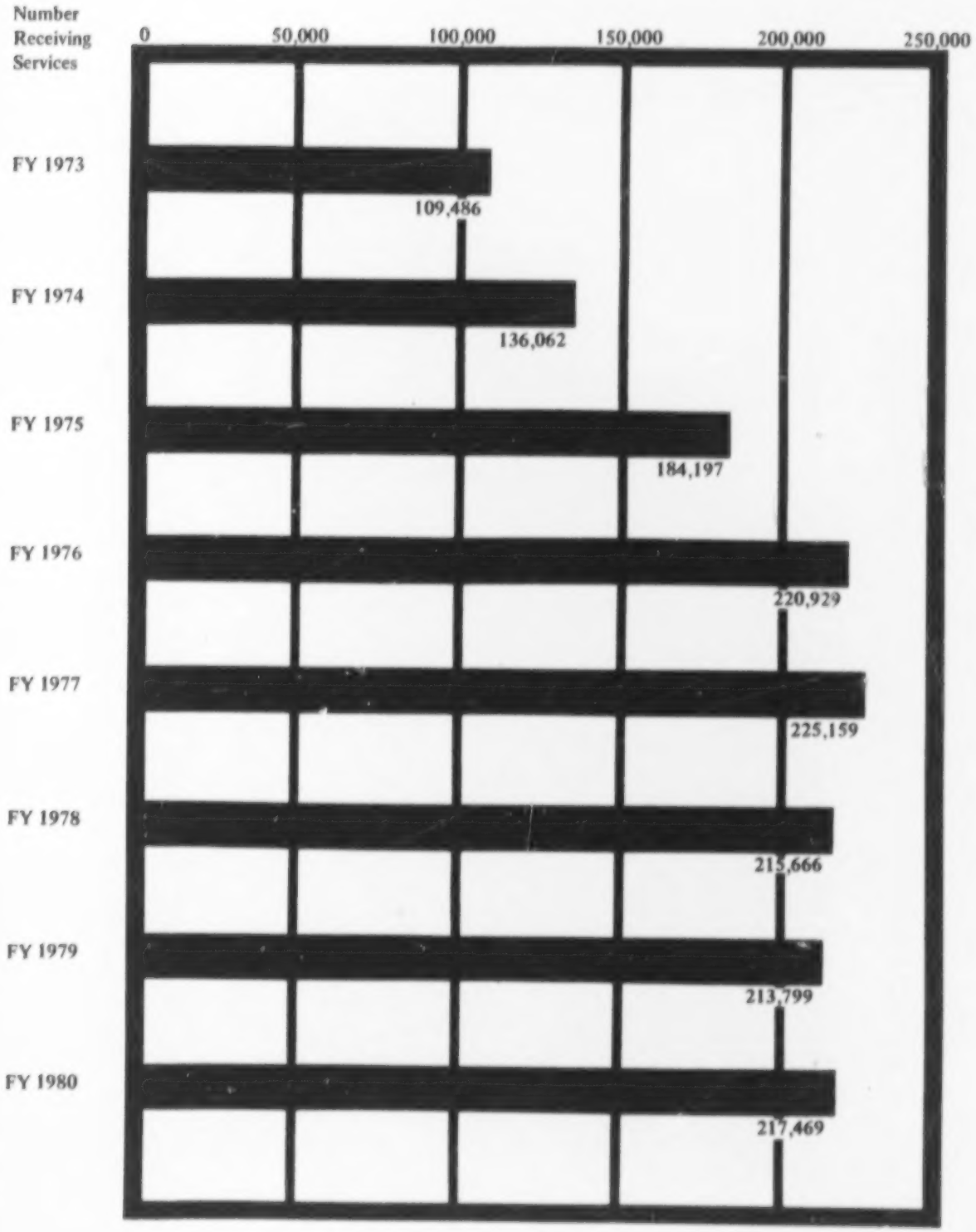


Eligibility

Federal regulations provide for two categories of Medicaid eligibility, designated Categorically Needy and Medically Needy. Medicaid benefits for the Categorically Needy, which are mandatory under the Act, are provided for aged, blind, and disabled individuals (AABD) and for families with dependent children (AFDC). In addition, Arkansas has elected to provide Medicaid benefits for the optional Medically Needy category, or those aged, blind, or disabled individuals or families and children whose income and resources are above the Categorically Needy limits but within limits set under the Medicaid State plan.

County Social Services offices are responsible for determining the eligibility for AFDC, Medically Needy and individuals requiring long term care but are not currently designated as categorically eligible.

District Social Security offices provide eligibility determination for the Supplementary Security Income (SSI) program for the aged, blind and disabled. SSI entitlement also establishes Medicaid eligibility.

During FY 80, 259,278 individuals were eligible for Medicaid benefits. Of this number, 231,886, or 89.4% were eligible under Categorically Needy guidelines, and 27,392, or 10.6% were Medically Needy.

PERCENT OF POPULATION ELIGIBLE FOR MEDICAL SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

	Total Medical Eligibles	Ponulation 1/	Percent of Population
State Total	259,278	2,280,687	11.4
Area 1 - Total	35,822	491,888	7.3
Baxter	1,370	27,275	5.0
Benton	4,435	77,873	5.7
Boone	1,900	25,828	7.4
Carroll	1,076	16,176	6.7
Crawford	3,401	36,633	9.3
Franklin	1,128	14,657	7.7
Johnson	1,684	17,379	9.7
Logan	2,347	20,046	11.7
Madison	1,107	11,329	9.8
Marion	914	11,309	8.1
Newton	966	7,658	12.6
Searcy	1,126	8,669	13.0
Sebastian	5,797	95,023	6.1
Stone	1,376	9,036	15.2
Van Buren	1,410	13,395	10.5
Washington	5,785	99,602	5.8
Area 2 - Total	56,105	405,783	13.8
Clay	2,565	20,602	12.5
Craighead	5,429	64,569	8.4
Crittenden	10,005	49,156	20.4
Cross	3,123	20,413	15.3
Fulton	1,104	9,966	11.1
Greene	3,334	30,748	10.8
Independence	3,093	30,124	10.3
Izard	1,188	10,826	11.0
Jackson	3,696	21,624	17.1
Lawrence	2,515	18,403	13.7
Mississippi	9,932	59,536	16.7
Poinsett	4,416	27,099	16.3
Randolph	1,602	16,871	9.5
Sharp	1,592	14,638	10.9
Woodruff	2,511	11,208	22.4
Area 3 - Total	38,673	308,394	12.5
Calhoun	936	6,028	15.5
Columbia	3,759	26,537	14.2
Dallas	1,736	10,534	16.5
Hempstead	2,329	23,634	9.9
Howard	1,302	13,544	9.6
Lafayette	1,925	10,156	19.0
Little River	1,472	13,878	10.6
Miller	4,182	37,725	11.1
Montgomery	657	7,884	8.3
Nevada	1,711	11,119	15.4
Ouachita	4,850	30,553	15.9
Pike	928	10,327	9.0
Polk	1,974	16,984	11.6
Scott	1,156	9,709	11.9
Sevier	964	14,030	6.9
Union	6,681	48,769	13.7
Yell	2,111	16,983	12.4
Area 4 - Total	63,500	340,007	18.7
Arkansas	2,965	24,366	12.2
Ashley	3,836	26,377	14.5
Bradley	1,895	13,724	13.8
Chicot	5,417	17,817	30.4
Cleveland	871	7,863	11.1
Desha	4,016	19,748	20.3
Drew	2,040	17,961	11.4
Grant	817	12,988	6.3
Jefferson	12,479	90,761	13.7
Lee	5,006	15,512	32.3
Lincoln	2,187	13,332	16.4
Monroe	3,190	13,988	22.8
Phillips	11,235	34,764	32.3
St. Francis	7,546	30,806	24.5
Area 5 - Total	65,178	734,615	8.9
Clark	2,244	23,340	9.6
Cleburne	1,290	16,864	7.6
Conway	2,577	19,362	13.3
Faulkner	2,906	45,993	6.3
Garland	5,773	70,240	8.2
Hot Spring	2,123	25,880	8.2
Lonoke	3,302	34,582	9.5
Perry	683	7,240	9.4
Pope	3,607	38,416	9.4
Prairie	1,156	10,135	11.4
Pulaski-South	22,122	202,899	10.9
Pulaski-North	9,347	135,923	6.9
Saline	3,358	53,088	6.3
White	4,690	50,653	9.3

1/ Preliminary 1980 Population

MEDICAL ELIGIBLES
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA			AB			AD		
	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total
State Total	64,023	1,341	65,364	1,784	13	1,797	40,603	2,179	42,782
Area 1 - Total	9,887	214	10,101	261	4	265	6,027	424	6,451
Baxter	486	11	497	8	0	8	242	25	267
Benton	1,094	36	1,130	22	2	24	696	53	749
Boone	680	4	684	21	0	21	392	13	405
Carroll	316	8	324	9	1	10	177	15	192
Crawford	789	33	822	19	0	19	453	43	496
Franklin	415	5	420	3	0	3	219	17	236
Johnson	483	10	493	13	0	13	363	14	377
Logan	639	19	658	17	0	17	599	30	629
Madison	363	13	376	13	1	14	169	27	196
Marion	280	2	282	11	0	11	137	8	145
Newton	300	3	303	17	0	17	176	1	177
Searcy	484	1	485	14	0	14	219	13	232
Sebastian	1,337	29	1,366	44	0	44	933	74	1,007
Stone	360	1	361	15	0	15	232	13	245
Van Buren	419	10	429	6	0	6	203	18	221
Washington	1,442	29	1,471	29	0	29	817	60	877
Area 2 - Total	14,768	330	15,098	338	3	341	9,041	473	9,514
Clay	944	18	962	17	0	17	540	21	561
Craighead	1,493	18	1,511	33	0	33	1,121	52	1,173
Crittenden	1,908	54	1,962	44	0	44	1,154	41	1,195
Cross	817	5	822	20	0	20	445	6	451
Fulton	418	10	428	8	1	9	186	21	207
Greene	967	47	1,014	28	0	28	549	65	614
Independence	1,108	16	1,124	22	0	22	531	16	547
Izard	504	9	513	8	0	8	206	15	221
Jackson	868	36	904	32	0	32	738	73	811
Lawrence	845	12	857	12	0	12	470	23	493
Mississippi	2,103	45	2,148	49	1	50	1,476	43	1,519
Poinsett	1,089	10	1,099	30	0	30	766	33	799
Randolph	606	21	627	19	1	20	259	20	279
Sharp	449	14	463	5	0	5	230	15	245
Woodruff	649	15	664	11	0	11	370	29	399
Area 3 - Total	11,016	191	11,207	239	2	241	6,004	322	6,326
Calhoun	287	1	288	4	0	4	123	7	130
Columbia	1,074	4	1,078	27	0	27	576	20	596
Dallas	394	11	405	20	0	20	280	23	303
Hempstead	753	11	764	19	0	19	343	10	353
Howard	598	3	601	13	0	13	241	10	251
Lafayette	551	11	562	13	0	13	263	20	283
Little River	520	11	531	14	0	14	201	8	209
Miller	1,057	8	1,065	27	0	27	701	32	733
Montgomery	228	2	230	4	0	4	124	9	133
Nevada	528	8	536	11	0	11	239	6	245
Ouachita	1,160	17	1,177	20	0	20	789	35	824
Pike	386	12	398	6	0	6	154	11	165
Polk	546	25	571	2	1	3	226	19	245
Scott	330	7	337	7	0	7	162	18	180
Sevier	411	1	412	6	0	6	150	12	162
Union	1,456	41	1,497	32	1	33	1,013	64	1,077
Yell	737	18	755	14	0	14	419	18	437

MEDICAL ELIGIBLES
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA			AB			AD		
	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total	SSI & No Grant	Medical Needy	Total
Area 4 - Total	14,085	232	14,317	346	2	348	8,553	359	8,912
Arkansas	799	23	822	18	0	18	377	23	400
Ashley	935	14	949	18	0	18	558	26	584
Bradley	562	22	584	16	0	16	281	23	304
Chicot	1,055	10	1,065	25	1	26	640	28	668
Cleveland	326	10	336	5	0	5	137	12	149
Desha	932	19	951	12	0	12	523	30	553
Drew	535	28	563	12	0	12	264	20	284
Grant	302	8	310	4	0	4	156	16	172
Jefferson	2,667	35	2,702	66	0	66	1,813	61	1,874
Lee	1,027	9	1,036	22	1	23	577	24	601
Lincoln	616	7	623	15	0	15	397	7	404
Monroe	814	5	819	27	0	27	432	16	448
Phillips	1,965	22	1,987	62	0	62	1,338	45	1,383
St. Francis	1,550	20	1,570	44	0	44	1,060	28	1,088
Area 5 - Total	14,267	374	14,641	600	2	602	10,978	601	11,579
Clark	751	16	767	21	0	21	494	17	511
Cleburne	498	17	515	9	0	9	213	13	226
Conway	721	22	743	24	0	24	471	14	485
Faulkner	843	21	864	42	0	42	1,084	31	1,115
Garland	1,349	31	1,380	30	0	30	978	99	1,077
Hot Spring	575	13	588	18	0	18	355	29	384
Lonoke	940	27	967	23	0	23	582	38	620
Perry	214	3	217	5	0	5	142	8	150
Pope	1,053	37	1,090	25	0	25	643	49	692
Prairie	303	6	309	10	0	10	147	14	161
Pulaski-South	2,974	71	3,045	264	0	264	2,696	118	2,814
Pulaski-North	1,765	49	1,814	81	0	81	1,357	82	1,439
Saline	708	22	730	26	0	26	1,000	33	1,033
White	1,573	39	1,612	22	2	24	816	56	872

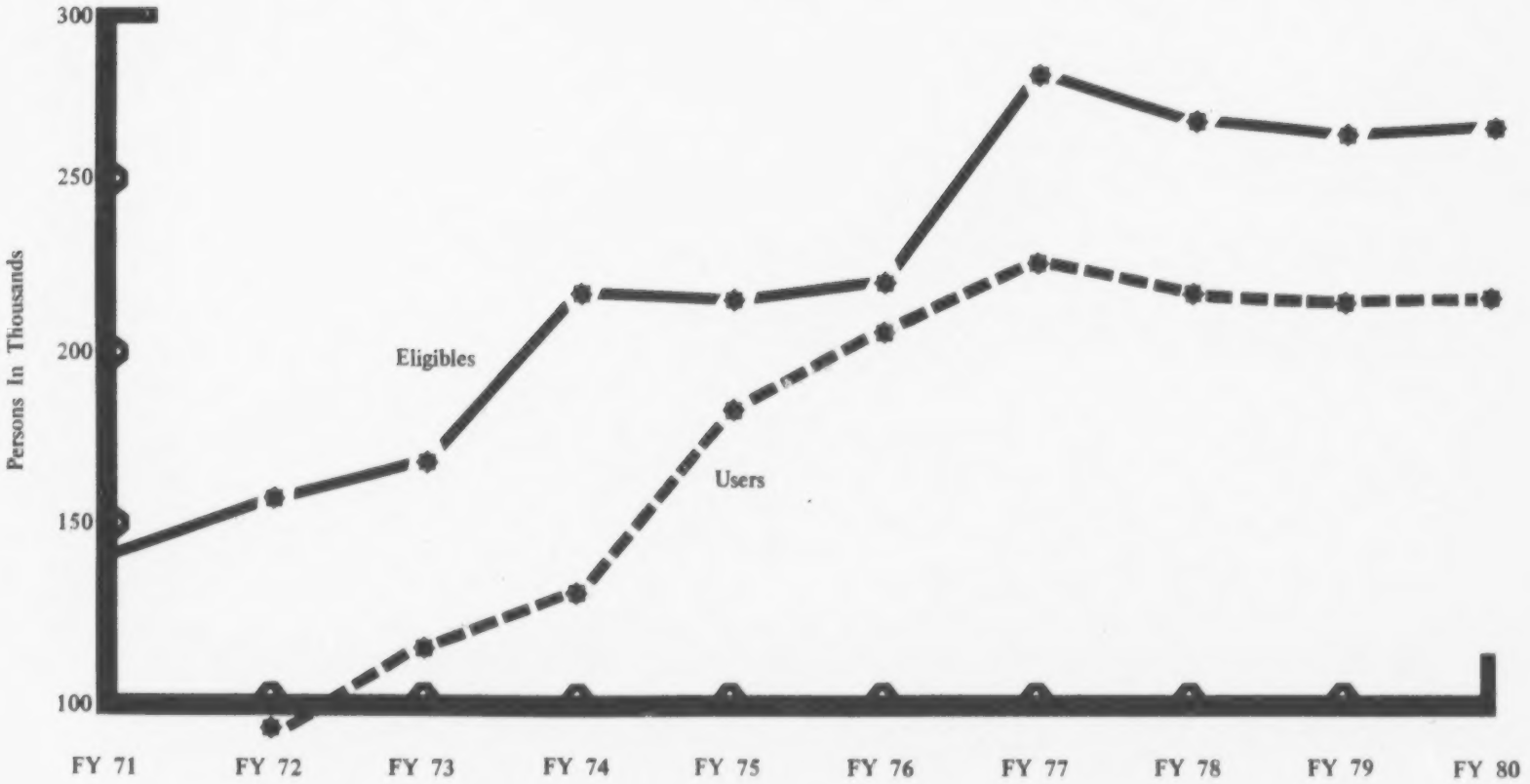
MEDICAL ELIGIBLES
FY 1979 - 1980

	Grant	AFDC Medical Needy	Total	U-21	Foster Care
State Total	122,573	8,591	131,164	15,268	2,903
Area 1 - Total	14,283	1,434	15,717	2,811	477
Baxter	419	65	484	98	16
Benton	1,961	148	2,109	360	63
Boone	609	63	672	103	15
Carroll	373	69	442	80	28
Crawford	1,545	186	1,731	296	37
Franklin	367	40	407	48	14
Johnson	570	68	638	153	10
Logan	780	86	866	160	17
Madison	311	79	390	120	11
Marion	310	57	367	103	6
Newton	319	19	338	129	2
Searcy	279	23	302	74	19
Sebastian	2,770	189	2,959	304	117
Stone	522	46	568	178	9
Van Buren	512	69	581	157	16
Washington	2,636	227	2,863	448	97
Area 2 – Total	24,942	1,876	26,818	3,850	484
Clay	809	64	873	147	5
Craighead	1,994	227	2,221	374	117
Crittenden	5,936	272	6,208	574	22
Cross	1,582	33	1,615	178	37
Fulton	315	64	379	76	5
Greene	1,055	165	1,220	388	70
Independence	1,038	74	1,112	221	67
Izard	244	62	306	127	13
Jackson	1,502	178	1,680	249	20
Lawrence	846	92	938	175	40
Mississippi	5,419	262	5,681	496	38
Poinsett	2,010	147	2,157	307	24
Randolph	470	82	552	110	14
Sharp	571	63	634	234	11
Woodruff	1,151	91	1,242	194	1
Area 3 - Total	18,122	1,041	19,163	1,386	350
Calhoun	455	26	481	29	4
Columbia	1,808	96	1,904	119	35
Dallas	869	72	941	61	6
Hempstead	1,097	25	1,122	51	20
Howard	354	36	390	38	9
Lafayette	951	36	987	70	10
Little River	647	32	679	31	8
Miller	2,191	58	2,249	77	31
Montgomery	176	43	219	65	6
Nevada	844	0	844	66	9
Ouachita	2,497	157	2,654	99	76
Pike	280	29	309	35	15
Polk	878	90	968	161	26
Scott	504	0	504	118	10
Sevier	323	12	335	35	14
Union	3,504	279	3,783	236	55
Yell	744	50	794	95	16

MEDICAL ELIGIBLES
FY 1979 - 1980

	Grant	AFDC Medical Needy	Total	U-21	Foster Care
Area 4 - Total	33,794	1,940	35,734	3,698	491
Arkansas	1,504	53	1,557	162	6
Ashley	2,026	87	2,113	147	25
Bradley	814	48	862	88	41
Chicot	3,229	116	3,345	288	25
Cleveland	317	31	348	31	2
Desha	2,161	113	2,274	196	30
Drew	783	149	932	179	70
Grant	279	4	283	44	4
Jefferson	6,558	478	7,036	613	188
Lee	2,745	139	2,884	442	20
Lincoln	1,084	4	1,088	51	6
Monroe	1,558	135	1,693	196	7
Phillips	6,905	386	7,291	492	20
St. Francis	3,831	197	4,028	769	47
Area 5 - Total	31,432	2,300	33,732	3,523	1,101
Clark	754	37	791	95	59
Cleburne	351	52	403	123	14
Conway	982	127	1,109	179	37
Faulkner	652	95	747	101	37
Garland	2,557	291	2,848	374	64
Hot Spring	952	55	1,007	97	29
Lonoke	1,356	136	1,492	163	37
Perry	231	14	245	44	22
Pope	1,243	195	1,438	313	49
Prairie	563	32	595	55	26
Pulaski-South	13,965	666	14,631	950	418
Pulaski-North	5,218	241	5,459	387	167
Saline	1,235	93	1,328	165	76
White	1,373	266	1,639	477	66

MEDICAID ENROLLMENT
ALL TYPES OF SERVICE
FY 1971 – 1980



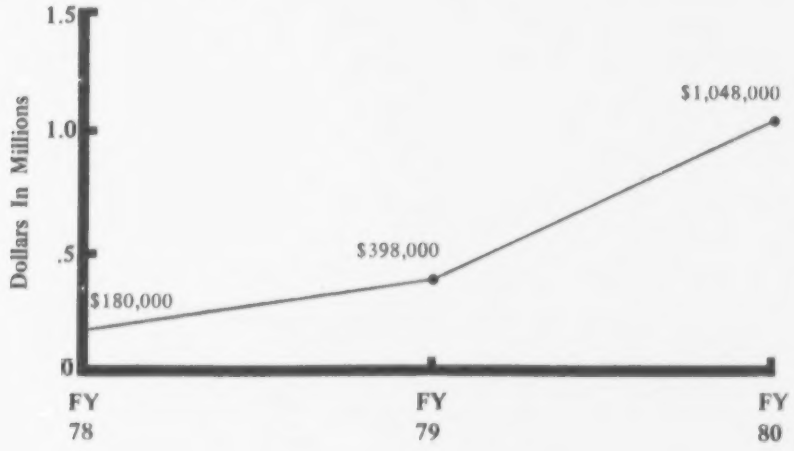
Medical Assistance Section

One of the major responsibilities centered in this section concerns administration and monitoring of the Arkansas Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS). This automated claims processing, data collection, and management reporting system, which was certified by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in July 1975, was one of the first such certified systems. The MMIS is operated under contract with Arkansas Blue Cross, Blue Shield, which is also the fiscal agent for Medicaid claims payment. During FY 80, 4,266,238 claims were processed through the Arkansas MMIS.

This period also saw extensive activities as contract preparation and negotiations were conducted to renew the fiscal agent and MMIS contract, which expired in 1980. After lengthy negotiations, Arkansas Blue Cross, Blue Shield again won the contract for these services. Some new features of this contract call for the incorporation of additional performance standards, which will be monitored by Medical Assistance staff; a variety of new programs to be installed, including the addition of Long Term Care payments and services; and improved cooperation between Medical Services and the contractor, as shown by the establishment of a systems control unit in Medical Assistance to coordinate systems projects.

Another major aspect of Medical Assistance activities is located in the provider Reimbursement Unit, which is responsible for the recovery of third party liability payments. Since federal regulations require that Medicaid be the payor of last resort, Medicaid payments on behalf of beneficiaries who are covered by other insurers or "third parties" are recovered through the activities of this unit. In FY 80, these third party collections amounted to $1,048,000, which is 300% more than FY 79 collections.

THIRD PARTY LIABILITY COLLECTIONS



The performance of other activities in this section was boosted through implementation of a work standards monitoring or management control program. Through this program, work standards were developed for the major activities in each unit. These work standards are monitored on a daily basis to show performance levels for the individual employee and each unit, and the results have been used to improve overall performance in the section. One of these results has been a revision of Provider Relations activities, which now enables that staff to spend 80% of their time in the field working with providers. Another result combined provider and recipient inquiries into a single Program Communications unit. The addition of a WATS line for provider inquiries significantly improved response to their questions and problems.

As an adjunct to other Provider Relations activities, the Medicaid Provider Manual has been revised into a single basic manual with supplements for the various types of providers. Previously, there were separate manuals for only hospital, physician, dental, and visual care providers. The new manual will enable all types of providers to gain an improved understanding of Medicaid operations with a ready reference for general program features and requirements and a supplementary reference for the specific requirements of each provider type.

Utilization Review Section

Utilization Review provides continuous monitoring and control of Medicaid benefits through review of service utilization by providers and recipients. Part of this review process is accomplished through a component of the MMIS, the Surveillance and Utilization Review Subsystem (S/URS), which continues to be a primary tool for detecting cases of suspected Medicaid fraud and abuse. During FY 80, ten providers were referred to the Medicaid Fraud Unit for further investigation of suspected fraud or abuse.

An extension of the utilization review function, beyond review for fraud and abuse, helps to assure that Medicaid beneficiaries receive high quality medical care. This function is accomplished through procedures which evaluate medical practice patterns and compare each provider's pattern to norms and limits set by all providers of the same specialty or type of service. Reports are generated on all providers that exceed those norms or limits, and the results are evaluated by experienced Medical Review Analysts working under the direction of a Medical Director. In addition, Peer Review Committees and specialty consultants are called upon to assist with these evaluations.

As a result of this review, criteria for levels of care are developed, and these criteria are used to evaluate quality of care and for determining reimbursement. In fact, many services are not routinely reimbursed without first being subjected to this review process. This "prior-authorization" procedure, or the granting of approval for Medicaid reimbursement before the service is provided, is accomplished on an individual basis after review of each case.

In addition to assuring quality of care for necessary services, this procedure achieved savings of $1,305,724 during FY 80. These savings are realized through the denial of reimbursement, in the prior-authorization process, of services that would otherwise have been provided.

Other major accomplishments for this period include the responsibility for review and approval of Personal Care Services, which is an alternative to nursing home care, and joint projects with the Medicare agency. The Personal Care program was assigned to this section in January 1980. These benefits are subject to the prior-authorization process before approval of Medicaid reimbursement is made. The joint utilization review efforts with the Medicare agency represent a sharing of knowledge and techniques that can benefit both programs.

The Joint Medicare/Medicaid Project for Post-payment Review will integrate the utilization review efforts of both programs to provide these benefits:

- Increased effectiveness of fraud and abuse detection, investigation, and resolution;
- Reduced administrative costs for both programs through a sharing of common software applications and improved coordination of investigation efforts;
- Elimination of duplicated efforts, which will also improve effectiveness; and
- Enhanced utilization review systems in Medicare through use of the Medicaid S/URS and in Medicaid through use of the Medicare prepayment edit capabilities.

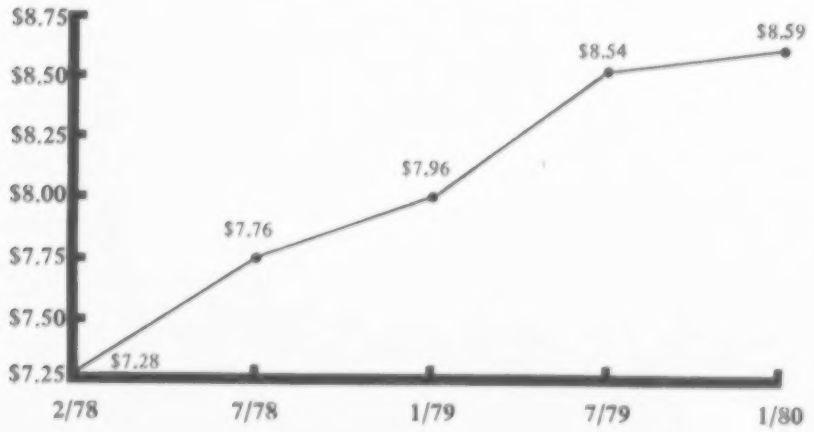
Prescription Drug Section

The Prescription Drug Program, which is an optional Medicaid benefit, was implemented in Arkansas in September 1973. Under this program, eligible recipients may obtain prescription medications through any of the 768 participating retail pharmacies in the State. During FY 80, an average 78,200 Medicaid recipients used their prescription drug benefits each month, representing an average 208,054 prescriptions per month at an average cost of $8.13 per prescription.

Program restrictions and limitations include a $ .50 copayment for each prescription dispensed, paid directly to the pharmacist by the recipient, and a maximum of four prescriptions per month for each recipient. An average 21,065 recipients received the maximum four prescriptions per month during FY 80.

Medicaid reimbursement for prescription drugs is based on cost plus dispensing fee. Drug costs are established and based upon a pharmacy's estimated acquisition cost (EAC) or the federally established maximum allowable cost (MAC). Dispensing fees are established by the Division of Social Services and based upon cost surveys which show an average cost for dispensing a prescription. From February 1978, to February 1980, the average price per prescription rose 9.0 percent per year. Drug costs, which have risen 9.5 percent per year, average $6.22 per prescription while the dispensing fee, which has increased 7.0 percent per year, now costs an average $2.37.

AVERAGE COST PER PRESCRIPTION



Crippled Children's Services

The Crippled Children's Section operates under a plan submitted to and approved by the Public Health Service of the Department of Health and Human Services. Federal funds are apportioned to the various states by a formula dependent upon per capita income, percentage of rurality, the number of children in the state, and the need for expansion of a program for crippled children in the state. The Arkansas Legislature sets the funding level for direct patient services.

All activities of the Crippled Children's Section emanate from the central State Agency in the Arkansas Social Services Division. The staff of the Crippled Children's Section consists of administrative, nursing and social services, and a medical staff.

The medical staff of CCS consists of 32 salaried Board Certified specialist physicians located across the state, plus another 150-200 Board Certified physicians who agree to see CCS patients on a fee-for-service basis. The dual arrangement insures that CCS is providing the highest quality of care on a statewide basis.

Any interested person or organization may refer a child for diagnosis and recommendation for treatment. Upon receipt of the referral, steps are taken to secure an application for assistance through the local Social Services offices. A case record is opened in the Central Office and a plan for treatment is made. Urgent and emergency cases are routed directly to a physician.

CCS provides treatment to eligible patients, including medical and surgical treatments, nursing and social follow-up and case management, therapies, appliances, medications, and clinic services. The financial sliding scale is designed to allow the family unit to participate in the care of the handicapped child to an extent that they are a meaningful part of the care. This, in turn, allows CCS to help a greater number of patients.

During the fiscal year 165 diagnostic and check-up clinics in 28 cities were held. These clinics were so spaced geographically and chronologically that every crippled child had access to clinics during the year. Essential facilities for diagnosis were available to these clinics, including x-rays, blood studies, and urinalysis if necessary.

In addition, Crippled Children's Section has been designated as the lead agency in the SSI-Disabled Children's Program, which serves as an advocate to see that the developmental, educational, social and rehabilitation needs of SSI children under the age of seven are met. Included in this program are limited funds to help pay for necessary items that may not be covered by Medicaid, insurance, or CCS.

Efforts, benefits, and assistance are given by the State Health Department, county health units, and local office of Social Services. State agencies cooperating in the complete care of the handicapped and crippled children are in Special Education Service, both of the State Department of Education and the Family and Children's Services of the Arkansas Social Services, and the Arkansas Association for the Crippled through its county chapters. Assistance is also given by numerous community lay and professional individuals, agencies, and organizations who are interested in some phase of the care of crippled children.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S SERVICES
FY 80

Number of Cases and Children Receiving Services

Total Cases During FY 80	10,297
Number of Cases Receiving Services	9,440
Number of Area Clinics	165
Number of:	
Invitations to Area Clinics	7,378
Attending Area Clinics	4,182
Attending Outpatient Hospital Clinics [1/]	2,580
Total Number of Hospital Days [1/]	4,698
Total Number of Convalescent Days [1/]	491

Expenditures

Total	$1,809,243
Hospitalization	1,056,589
Professional Services (Physician, Therapist, Nurse)	383,590
Clinic Services	69,221
Drugs	43,693
Appliances	256,150

[1/] Does not include services paid by Medicaid.

Long Term Care

All Long Term Care Facilities in the State are classified by the Division of Social Services, Office of Long Term Care, under four classifications: Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNF's), Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF's), Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR's), and Minimum Care Facilities (MCF's).

Prospective, cost-related rates are based on Financial and Statistical Reports submitted at least annually by each participating facility. The inflation-adjusted 80th percentile, by level of care, has been established as the standard for maximum payment of the SNF, ICF, and MCF facility classifications. All rates are calculated individually for each facility/level of care. To encourage efficient and economic operations, an incentive payment is included in the rate calculation for facility level of care with cost below the 80th percentile cost. ICF/MR facilities' rates contain no incentive and are based on 100% of actual, allowable costs. All rates are subject to audit. As of June 30, 1980, the range of rates for monthly vendor payments was as follows:

	High	Low
Skilled Care Patients in SNF's	$ 838.45	$ 674.66
Intermediate Care Patients in SNF's	700.89	571.88
Minimum Care Patients in SNF's	646.30	534.36
Skilled Care Patients in ICF's	814.05	646.30
Intermediate Care Patients in ICF's	681.37	539.85
Minimum Care Patients in ICF's	628.61	498.98
Skilled Care Patients in ICF/MR's	1,327.67	1,327.67
Intermediate Care Patients in ICF/MR's	1,205.06	934.83
Minimum Care Patients in ICF/MR's	1,191.03	909.21
Intermediate Care Patients in ICF(BSC) 1/	1,219.70	
Minimum Care Patients in ICF(BSC) 1/	1,114.78	
Skilled Care Patients in MCF's	814.05	801.85
Intermediate Care Patients in MCF's	681.37	552.36
Minimum Care Patients in MCF's	628.61	510.88

All participating Long Term Care Facilities are required to accept this rate as full payment for services rendered.

In addition to the vendor payment made to the long term care facility for nursing care, each recipient received $25 for personal needs either through an SSI grant or from personal income.

The applicants for long term care facility care are initially approved and classified by reviewing physicians in the Office of Long Term Care. The functional, physical, and mental condition of the recipient is evaluated to determine the type of nursing care required and appropriate placement.

As part of Utilization Review, every six months a review is made of each intermediate and minimum care recipient in long term care facilities by the reviewing physicians to determine necessity for continued stay, appropriateness of classification, and appropriate placement.

A Utilization Review Committee consisting of three physicians, a registered nurse and other professional personnel as deemed appropriate meet weekly in order to assure that each skilled care patient in a long term care facility is reviewed at least every 90 days.

The Office of Long Term Care acts to insure that all recipients in long term care facilities receive the quality and quantity of care they require. Investigations are made and reports are filed on all complaints. In FY 80, 324 complaints were investigated, of which 76 were found to be justified and required follow-up investigations.

1/ Benton Service Center (BSC) does not have a high and low rate because it is in a category exclusively to itself. Nor does it have recipients classified as skilled care.

A certification survey of each Long Term Care Facility and an inspection of care of each recipient and their medical record is done at least once annually. The survey/inspection of care is done by a team which consists of a registered nurse, a generalist surveyor, a pharmacist, a dietician and an engineer.

The Office of Long Term Care staff makes on-site visits to insure that each nursing home and hospital is in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

All state nursing homes and nursing home administrators must hold a license from the State of Arkansas. In FY 80, the Office of Long Term Care issued 223 facility licenses and 491 Administrator licenses. Eighty-seven of the administrator licenses were new certifications resulting from the 150 administrator examinations monitored by the Office. Twenty clock hours of training were approved or provided to each of the 491 administrators.

In addition, 58 boarding homes have been identified which will be subject to state licensing requirements in 1981.

At the end of fiscal year 1979–1980, long term care bed capacity and Medicaid recipient cases were at the following levels:

	Facilities	Beds	Recipients
Medicaid LTCF			
SNF	82	8,813	6,714
ICF	127	10,035	7,837
ICF/MR	8	2,508	2,039
MCF	2	64	55
Total	219	21,420	16,645
Non-Medicaid LTCF			
SNF	3	220	
ICF	1	40	
Total	4	260	
Total Licensed	223	21,680	

Of the 3,773 patients classified as skilled care in June 1980, 2,211 were in SNF's, 1,511 in ICF's, and 51 in ICF/MR's. Of 6,327 intermediate level patients, 2,300 were in SNF's, 3,322 in ICF's, 693 in ICF/MR's, and 12 in MCF's. For the 6,545 minimum level of care recipients, 2,203 were residing in SNF's, 3,004 in ICF's, 43 in MCF's, and 1,295 in ICF/MR facilities.

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND VENDOR PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA		AB		AD		AFDC		FC		U-21	
	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Total	15,438	$73,944,758	184	$1,271,964	5,860	$43,199,673	11	$42,776	13	$66,032	1	$10,969
July 1979	11,163	6,184,897	160	107,595	4,863	3,480,383	3	3,234	11	9,523	–	–
August	11,262	6,244,788	160	105,308	4,719	3,504,862	–	–	9	9,114	–	–
September	11,273	6,360,716	159	106,041	4,738	3,428,421	2	2,356	8	7,316	–	–
October	11,379	6,329,378	157	108,479	4,865	3,772,273	3	5,558	6	4,586	–	–
November	11,353	6,085,508	157	106,464	4,849	3,603,837	4	6,584	6	5,811	–	–
December	11,404	6,354,998	158	113,550	4,870	3,774,220	3	3,645	6	6,004	–	–
January 1980	11,852	6,152,966	161	109,073	4,943	3,654,706	3	3,645	6	5,320	1	2,699
February	11,861	5,773,614	159	102,949	4,933	3,392,468	3	3,410	6	3,297	1	2,960
March	11,477	6,206,010	154	108,517	4,874	3,719,617	3	3,645	5	5,039	1	1,349
April	11,539	6,004,165	154	103,215	4,882	3,577,508	3	3,527	5	4,918	1	1,306
May	11,515	6,204,198	154	105,858	4,892	3,697,180	3	3,645	5	5,104	1	1,349
June	11,574	6,043,520	149	94,915	4,897	3,594,198	3	3,527	4	–	1	1,306
Average Amount Per Case		$4,790		$6,913		$7,372		$3,889		$5,079		$10,969

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home: Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
State -	Total	21,507	$118,536,172	8,934	$43,674,653	12,573	$74,861,519
	Skilled	5,010	28,688,105	2,926	16,963,832	2,084	11,724,273
	Intermediate	8,492	44,984,772	3,244	14,784,427	5,248	30,200,345
	Minimum	8,005	44,863,295	2,764	11,926,394	5,241	32,936,901
Area 1 -	Total	3,837	20,300,241	1,779	8,922,223	2,058	11,378,018
	Skilled	991	6,385,775	579	3,733,629	412	2,652,146
	Intermediate	1,252	5,739,174	600	2,672,963	652	3,066,211
	Minimum	1,594	8,175,292	600	2,515,631	994	5,659,661
Baxter -	Total	240	1,046,588	79	388,219	161	658,369
	Skilled	34	217,038	11	67,965	23	149,073
	Intermediate	115	479,438	33	173,259	82	306,179
	Minimum	91	350,112	35	146,995	56	203,117
Benton -	Total	533	2,711,393	373	1,840,832	160	870,561
	Skilled	160	982,190	127	791,578	33	190,612
	Intermediate	194	888,694	128	521,041	66	367,653
	Minimum	179	840,509	118	528,213	61	312,296
Boone -	Total	288	1,417,529	80	423,827	208	993,702
	Skilled	71	419,866	23	172,508	48	247,358
	Intermediate	101	449,874	34	139,425	67	310,449
	Minimum	116	547,789	23	111,894	93	435,895
Carroll -	Total	57	244,610	–	–	57	244,610
	Skilled	21	75,876	–	–	21	75,876
	Intermediate	23	122,565	–	–	23	122,565
	Minimum	13	46,169	–	–	13	46,169
Crawford -	Total	351	1,638,287	253	1,218,901	98	419,386
	Skilled	84	521,179	69	441,599	15	79,580
	Intermediate	109	468,201	65	298,296	44	169,905
	Minimum	158	648,907	119	479,006	39	169,901
Franklin -	Total	180	872,989	62	356,127	118	516,862
	Skilled	49	292,710	23	168,280	26	124,430
	Intermediate	59	259,843	23	103,828	36	156,015
	Minimum	72	320,436	16	84,019	56	236,417
Johnson -	Total	197	1,431,453	22	212,406	175	1,219,047
	Skilled	97	999,589	19	169,706	78	829,883
	Intermediate	37	195,874	3	42,700	34	153,174
	Minimum	63	235,990	–	–	63	235,990
Logan -	Total	441	3,474,987	–	–	441	3,474,987
	Skilled	62	349,487	–	–	62	349,487
	Intermediate	63	266,048	–	–	63	266,048
	Minimum	316	2,859,452	–	–	316	2,859,452
Madison -	Total	73	411,303	73	411,303	–	–
	Skilled	26	152,984	26	152,984		
	Intermediate	20	119,397	20	119,397		–
	Minimum	27	138,922	27	138,922	–	–

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 1 - Continued							
Marion -	Total	61	287,208	–	–	61	287,208
	Skilled	9	43,819	–	–	9	43,819
	Intermediate	26	127,263	–	–	26	127,263
	Minimum	26	116,126	–	–	26	116,126
Newton -	Total	38	188,858	–	–	38	188,858
	Skilled	3	34,354	–	–	3	34,354
	Intermediate	20	79,672	–	–	20	79,672
	Minimum	15	74,832	–	–	15	74,832
Searcy -	Total	83	391,750	–	–	83	391,750
	Skilled	12	52,414	–	–	12	52,414
	Intermediate	29	155,825	–	–	29	155,825
	Minimum	42	183,511	–	–	42	183,511
Sebastian -	Total	661	3,210,470	482	2,291,010	179	919,460
	Skilled	188	1,195,277	155	980,036	33	215,241
	Intermediate	251	1,104,608	172	697,214	79	407,394
	Minimum	222	910,585	155	613,760	67	296,825
Stone -	Total	57	377,548	57	377,548	–	–
	Skilled	29	253,212	29	253,212	–	–
	Intermediate	27	117,045	27	117,045	–	–
	Minimum	1	7,291	1	7,291	–	–
Van Buren -	Total	39	209,383	–	–	39	209,383
	Skilled	14	86,867	–	–	14	86,867
	Intermediate	15	86,802	–	–	15	86,802
	Minimum	10	35,714	–	–	10	35,714
Washington -	Total	538	2,385,885	298	1,402,050	240	983,835
	Skilled	132	708,913	97	535,761	35	173,152
	Intermediate	163	818,025	95	460,758	68	357,267
	Minimum	243	858,947	106	405,531	137	453,416

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 2 -	Total	3,634	$19,379,962	1,626	$8,482,556	2,008	$10,897,406
	Skilled	1,032	5,954,336	651	3,853,448	381	2,100,888
	Intermediate	1,497	7,331,338	571	2,700,576	926	4,630,762
	Minimum	1,105	6,094,288	404	1,928,532	701	4,165,756
Clay -	Total	265	1,202,099	–	–	265	1,202,099
	Skilled	61	329,052	–	–	61	329,052
	Intermediate	161	635,642	–	–	161	635,642
	Minimum	43	237,405	–	–	43	237,405
Craighead -	Total	736	4,684,335	485	2,486,426	251	2,197,909
	Skilled	217	1,229,617	193	1,106,585	24	123,032
	Intermediate	260	1,560,279	173	856,118	87	704,161
	Minimum	259	1,894,439	119	523,723	140	1,370,716
Crittenden -	Total	283	1,395,442	191	924,585	92	470,857
	Skilled	100	539,366	87	446,671	13	92,695
	Intermediate	130	605,888	80	375,978	50	229,910
	Minimum	53	250,188	24	101,936	29	148,252
Cross -	Total	290	1,435,628	129	668,711	161	766,917
	Skilled	53	303,650	37	240,747	16	62,903
	Intermediate	119	558,674	53	235,833	66	322,841
	Minimum	118	573,304	39	192,131	79	381,173
Fulton -	Total	129	611,743	–	–	129	611,743
	Skilled	26	164,730	–	–	26	164,730
	Intermediate	46	200,003	–	–	46	200,003
	Minimum	57	247,010	–	–	57	247,010
Greene -	Total	264	1,180,931	–	–	264	1,180,931
	Skilled	54	286,364	–	–	54	286,364
	Intermediate	125	531,877	–	–	125	531,877
	Minimum	85	362,690	–	–	85	362,690
Independence -	Total	270	1,376,113	115	578,295	155	797,818
	Skilled	89	520,842	35	213,566	54	307,276
	Intermediate	114	491,892	36	164,209	78	327,683
	Minimum	67	363,379	44	200,520	23	162,859
Izard -	Total	176	915,515	104	546,892	72	368,623
	Skilled	45	223,230	33	185,684	12	37,546
	Intermediate	76	442,535	33	177,665	43	264,870
	Minimum	55	249,750	38	183,543	17	66,207
Jackson -	Total	215	1,337,822	101	596,047	114	741,775
	Skilled	57	434,625	46	313,670	11	120,955
	Intermediate	78	420,404	23	119,225	55	301,179
	Minimum	80	482,793	32	163,152	48	319,641

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home			
				Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 2 - Continued							
Lawrence -	Total	149	831,862	102	636,341	47	195,521
	Skilled	43	329,677	35	299,649	8	30,028
	Intermediate	53	264,181	29	154,199	24	109,982
	Minimum	53	238,004	38	182,493	15	55,511
Mississippi -	Total	423	2,131,742	132	657,199	291	1,474,543
	Skilled	154	823,094	96	500,424	58	322,670
	Intermediate	159	789,560	36	156,775	123	632,785
	Minimum	110	519,088	–	–	110	519,088
Poinsett -	Total	187	1,035,241	90	520,310	97	514,931
	Skilled	76	413,992	45	266,600	31	147,392
	Intermediate	59	317,324	20	101,839	39	215,485
	Minimum	52	303,925	25	151,871	27	152,054
Randolph -	Total	95	466,486	95	466,486	–	–
	Skilled	25	177,072	25	177,072	–	–
	Intermediate	45	156,105	45	156,105	–	–
	Minimum	25	133,309	25	133,309	–	–
Sharp -	Total	70	373,739	–	–	70	373,739
	Skilled	13	76,245	–	–	13	76,245
	Intermediate	29	154,344	–	–	29	154,344
	Minimum	28	143,150	–	–	28	143,150
Woodruff -	Total	82	401,264	82	401,264	–	–
	Skilled	19	102,780	19	102,780	–	–
	Intermediate	43	202,630	43	202,630	–	–
	Minimum	20	95,854	20	95,854	–	–

LONG TERM CARE CASES AND PAYMENTS
FY 1979 - 1980

Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 3 -	Total	3,723	$17,979,149	1,599	$7,706,291	2,124	$10,272,858
	Skilled	968	5,534,626	494	2,912,516	474	2,622,110
	Intermediate	1,426	6,514,603	555	2,479,880	871	4,034,723
	Minimum	1,329	5,929,920	550	2,313,895	779	3,616,025
Calhoun -	Total	74	413,696	74	413,696	–	–
	Skilled	17	141,199	17	141,199	–	–
	Intermediate	24	121,262	24	121,262	–	–
	Minimum	33	151,235	33	151,235	–	–
Columbia -	Total	268	1,050,131	–	–	268	1,050,131
	Skilled	70	304,252	–	–	70	304,252
	Intermediate	99	400,646	–	–	99	400,646
	Minimum	99	345,233	–	–	99	345,233
Dallas -	Total	196	1,099,863	121	681,368	75	418,495
	Skilled	41	244,369	37	227,458	4	16,911
	Intermediate	80	386,060	47	261,041	33	125,019
	Minimum	75	469,434	37	192,869	38	276,565
Hempstead -	Total	219	966,431	62	240,864	157	725,567
	Skilled	58	296,827	27	145,974	31	150,853
	Intermediate	89	385,850	22	71,737	67	314,113
	Minimum	72	283,754	13	23,153	59	260,601
Howard -	Total	318	1,807,079	58	334,549	260	1,472,530
	Skilled	87	636,225	20	142,876	67	493,349
	Intermediate	124	587,485	25	111,604	99	475,881
	Minimum	107	583,369	13	80,069	94	503,300
Lafayette -	Total	99	516,748	99	516,748	–	–
	Skilled	37	239,903	37	239,903	–	–
	Intermediate	40	199,616	40	199,616	–	–
	Minimum	22	77,229	22	77,229	–	–
Little River -	Total	137	697,375	–	–	137	697,375
	Skilled	32	190,095	–	–	32	190,095
	Intermediate	39	199,965	–	–	39	199,965
	Minimum	66	307,315	–	–	66	307,315
Miller -	Total	277	1,250,599	91	477,885	186	772,714
	Skilled	67	350,215	30	210,873	37	139,342
	Intermediate	113	465,353	27	132,307	86	333,046
	Minimum	97	435,031	34	134,705	63	300,326
Montgomery -	Total	45	264,079	–	–	45	264,079
	Skilled	6	73,683	–	–	6	73,683
	Intermediate	25	113,410	–	–	25	113,410
	Minimum	14	76,986	–	–	14	76,986

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Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 3 - Continued							
Nevada -	Total	212	951,527	127	628,165	85	323,362
	Skilled	31	185,205	20	143,159	11	42,046
	Intermediate	77	317,867	51	210,645	26	107,222
	Minimum	104	448,455	56	274,361	48	174,094
Ouachita -	Total	416	1,884,276	259	1,059,676	157	824,600
	Skilled	116	552,990	85	383,731	31	169,259
	Intermediate	157	717,668	88	346,012	69	371,656
	Minimum	143	613,618	86	329,933	57	283,685
Pike -	Total	156	705,130	–	–	156	705,130
	Skilled	41	208,376	–	–	41	208,376
	Intermediate	71	274,575	–	–	71	274,575
	Minimum	44	222,179	–	–	44	222,179
Polk -	Total	208	971,392	124	630,708	84	340,684
	Skilled	62	357,289	38	231,401	24	125,888
	Intermediate	70	333,242	35	190,513	35	142,729
	Minimum	76	280,861	51	208,794	25	72,067
Scott -	Total	73	412,068	73	412,068		
	Skilled	19	162,764	19	162,764		
	Intermediate	28	119,035	28	119,035		
	Minimum	26	130,269	26	130,269		
Sevier -	Total	163	765,481	–	–	163	765,481
	Skilled	49	280,984	–	–	49	280,984
	Intermediate	60	244,615	–	–	60	244,615
	Minimum	54	239,882	–	–	54	239,882
Union -	Total	572	2,689,640	401	1,757,165	171	932,475
	Skilled	150	815,551	125	667,773	25	147,778
	Intermediate	223	1,024,423	142	585,303	81	439,120
	Minimum	199	849,666	134	504,089	65	345,577
Yell -	Total	290	1,533,634	110	553,399	180	980,235
	Skilled	85	494,699	39	215,405	46	279,294
	Intermediate	107	623,531	26	130,805	81	492,726
	Minimum	98	415,404	45	207,189	53	208,215

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Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 4 -	Total	3,123	$15,697,706	1,351	$6,440,313	1,772	$9,257,393
	Skilled	757	4,081,933	434	2,273,350	323	1,808,583
	Intermediate	1,320	6,602,512	523	2,458,935	797	4,143,577
	Minimum	1,046	5,013,261	394	1,708,028	652	3,305,233
Arkansas -	Total	328	1,578,714	86	508,236	242	1,070,478
	Skilled	75	383,273	21	137,693	54	245,580
	Intermediate	129	622,912	37	209,415	92	413,497
	Minimum	124	572,529	28	161,128	96	411,401
Ashley -	Total	284	1,469,207	96	355,426	188	1,113,781
	Skilled	68	430,577	30	109,804	38	320,773
	Intermediate	135	666,054	46	201,412	89	464,642
	Minimum	81	372,576	20	44,210	61	328,366
Bradley -	Total	137	830,573	–	–	137	830,573
	Skilled	33	148,007	–	–	33	148,007
	Intermediate	65	328,650	–	–	65	328,650
	Minimum	39	353,916	–	–	39	353,916
Chicot -	Total	95	467,799	–	–	95	467,799
	Skilled	19	120,266	–	–	19	120,266
	Intermediate	49	203,312	–	–	49	203,312
	Minimum	27	144,221	–	–	27	144,221
Cleveland -	Total	92	340,985	92	340,985	–	–
	Skilled	19	60,574	19	60,574	–	–
	Intermediate	32	131,052	32	131,052	–	–
	Minimum	41	149,359	41	149,359	–	–
Desha -	Total	247	1,141,573	247	1,141,573	–	–
	Skilled	98	492,844	98	492,844	–	–
	Intermediate	97	449,164	97	449,164	–	–
	Minimum	52	199,565	52	199,565	–	–
Drew -	Total	85	427,127	–	–	85	427,127
	Skilled	22	147,256	–	–	22	147,256
	Intermediate	48	200,568	–	–	48	200,568
	Minimum	15	79,303	–	–	15	79,303
Grant -	Total	121	614,507	121	614,507	–	–
	Skilled	27	189,221	27	189,221	–	–
	Intermediate	49	198,926	49	198,926	–	–
	Minimum	45	226,360	45	226,360	–	–
Jefferson -	Total	644	3,571,702	273	1,392,409	371	2,179,293
	Skilled	115	749,849	78	532,402	37	217,447
	Intermediate	277	1,632,090	95	438,346	182	1,193,744
	Minimum	252	1,189,763	100	421,661	152	768,102

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Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home			
				Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 4 - Continued							
Lee -	Total	207	931,307				
	Skilled	36	169,571	–	–	207	931,307
	Intermediate	105	501,215	–	–	36	169,571
	Minimum	66	260,521	–	–	105	501,215
				–	–	66	260,521
Lincoln -	Total	182	988,908	99	523,265	83	465,643
	Skilled	71	393,230	41	183,651	30	209,579
	Intermediate	75	398,783	42	224,072	33	174,711
	Minimum	36	196,895	16	115,542	20	81,353
Monroe -	Total	117	589,603				
	Skilled	20	97,378	–	–	117	589,603
	Intermediate	32	157,073	–	–	20	97,378
	Minimum	65	335,152	–	–	32	157,073
				–	–	65	335,152
Phillips -	Total	356	1,564,587	154	590,910	202	973,677
	Skilled	89	323,392	69	258,278	20	65,114
	Intermediate	122	615,204	48	218,246	74	396,958
	Minimum	145	625,991	37	114,386	108	511,605
St. Francis -	Total	228	1,181,114	183	973,002	45	208,112
	Skilled	65	376,495	51	308,883	14	67,612
	Intermediate	105	497,509	77	388,302	28	109,207
	Minimum	58	307,110	55	275,817	3	31,293

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Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 5 -	Total	7,190	$45,179,114	2,579	$12,123,270	4,611	$33,055,844
	Skilled	1,262	6,731,435	768	4,190,889	494	2,540,546
	Intermediate	2,997	18,797,145	995	4,472,073	2,002	14,325,072
	Minimum	2,931	19,650,534	816	3,460,308	2,115	16,190,226
Clark -	Total	548	3,771,823	110	563,384	438	3,208,439
	Skilled	81	427,680	23	135,876	58	291,804
	Intermediate	170	1,120,361	47	233,252	123	887,109
	Minimum	297	2,223,782	40	194,256	257	2,029,526
Clebarne -	Total	124	549,628	–	–	124	549,628
	Skilled	36	178,530	–	–	36	178,530
	Intermediate	54	255,838	–	–	54	255,838
	Minimum	34	115,260	–	–	34	115,260
Conway -	Total	208	924,711	–	–	208	924,711
	Skilled	52	252,059	–	–	52	252,059
	Intermediate	90	405,796	–	–	90	405,796
	Minimum	66	266,856	–	–	66	266,856
Faulkner -	Total	1,012	8,836,030	–	–	1,012	8,836,030
	Skilled	25	160,715	–	–	25	160,715
	Intermediate	509	4,443,455	–	–	509	4,443,455
	Minimum	478	4,231,860	–	–	478	4,231,860
Garland -	Total	515	2,146,275	199	839,883	316	1,306,392
	Skilled	95	456,191	53	248,574	42	207,617
	Intermediate	197	812,957	67	316,926	130	496,031
	Minimum	223	877,127	79	274,383	144	602,744
Hot Spring -	Total	245	1,281,235	188	887,966	57	393,269
	Skilled	39	265,336	29	180,732	10	84,604
	Intermediate	111	551,090	81	370,638	30	180,452
	Minimum	95	464,809	78	336,596	17	128,213
Lonoke -	Total	515	2,948,438	98	570,098	417	2,378,340
	Skilled	89	597,176	27	205,576	62	391,600
	Intermediate	252	1,423,708	31	139,751	221	1,283,957
	Minimum	174	927,554	40	224,771	134	702,783
Perry -	Total	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Skilled	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Intermediate	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Minimum	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pope -	Total	377	1,710,242	377	1,710,242	–	–
	Skilled	101	552,834	101	552,834	–	–
	Intermediate	122	507,525	122	507,525	–	–
	Minimum	154	649,883	154	649,883	–	–

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Classification of Patient		Total		Classification of Home Skilled		Intermediate	
		Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
Area 5 - Continued							
Prairie -	Total	–	–	–	–		
	Skilled	–	–	–	–		
	Intermediate	–	–	–	–		
	Minimum	–	–	–	–		
Pulaski-South -	Total	1,357	6,130,406	863	4,113,313	494	2,017,093
	Skilled	354	1,707,591	263	1,361,133	91	346,458
	Intermediate	599	2,912,596	351	1,646,764	248	1,265,832
	Minimum	404	1,510,219	249	1,105,416	155	404,803
Pulaski-North -	Total	581	2,797,217	257	1,212,260	324	1,584,957
	Skilled	130	722,086	108	593,241	22	128,845
	Intermediate	289	1,393,001	124	562,790	165	830,211
	Minimum	162	682,130	25	56,229	137	625,901
Saline -	Total	1,237	11,936,857	52	359,019	1,185	11,577,838
	Skilled	114	641,234	30	230,768	84	410,466
	Intermediate	436	4,279,241	18	115,409	418	4,163,832
	Minimum	687	7,016,382	4	12,842	683	7,003,540
White -	Total	471	2,146,252	435	1,867,105	36	279,147
	Skilled	146	770,003	134	682,155	12	87,848
	Intermediate	168	691,577	154	579,018	14	112,559
	Minimum	157	684,672	147	605,932	10	78,740

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	AA			AB			AD			TOTAL		
	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied
State Total	6,660	5,470	1,117	14	9	5	1,018	821	214	7,692	6,300	1,336
Area 1 - Total	1,343	1,115	225	1	–	1	151	122	32	1,495	1,237	258
Baxter	152	108	42	–	–	–	12	9	2	164	117	44
Benton	219	165	55	–	–	–	31	20	12	250	185	67
Boone	116	105	15	–	–	–	16	15	3	132	120	18
Carroll	27	19	8	–	–	–	1	–	1	28	19	9
Crawford	127	93	31	–	–	–	8	6	1	135	99	32
Franklin	37	41	1	–	–	–	5	6	–	42	47	1
Johnson	30	29	3	–	–	–	15	12	2	45	41	5
Logan	58	58	3	–	–	–	12	8	1	70	66	4
Madison	26	16	6	–	–	–	1	1	–	27	17	6
Marion	34	31	5	–	–	–	1	1	1	35	32	6
Newton	13	11	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	13	11	2
Searcy	30	31	1	–	–	–	3	2	–	33	33	1
Sebastian	207	188	24	–	–	–	28	23	6	235	211	30
Stone	10	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	10	–
Van Buren	11	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	11	10	–
Washington	246	200	29	1	–	1	18	19	3	265	219	33
Area 2 - Total	1,060	885	147	4	3	1	153	125	33	1,217	1,013	181
Clay	107	90	13	–	–	–	23	21	4	130	111	17
Craighead	207	172	42	1	1	1	35	28	8	243	201	51
Crittenden	80	74	5	1	–	–	5	5	1	86	79	6
Cross	76	72	5	–	–	–	9	8	3	85	80	8
Fulton	34	25	6	–	–	–	3	3	–	37	28	6
Greene	110	85	21	1	1	–	12	7	5	123	93	26
Independence	55	52	3	–	–	–	4	3	1	59	55	4
Izard	33	31	2	–	–	–	1	1	–	34	32	2
Jackson	26	24	4	–	–	–	5	4	1	31	28	5
Lawrence	41	35	8	–	–	–	3	2	1	44	37	9
Mississippi	160	110	28	–	–	–	28	22	4	188	132	32
Poinsett	54	49	4	–	–	–	17	16	2	71	65	6
Randolph	28	25	4	1	1	–	3	2	1	32	28	5
Sharp	19	14	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	20	14	1
Woodruff	30	27	2	–	–	–	4	3	1	34	30	3

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	AA			AB			AD			TOTAL		
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Area 3 - Total	1,220	1,023	172	6	3	3	184	141	39	1,410	1,167	214
Calhoun	11	9	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	12	10	–
Columbia	130	114	8	–	–	–	23	11	7	153	125	15
Dallas	36	33	2	1	1	–	3	1	2	40	35	4
Hempstead	87	75	14	–	–	–	7	5	3	94	80	17
Howard	76	64	15	1	–	1	9	6	2	86	70	18
Lafayette	39	32	6	–	–	–	6	6	–	45	38	6
Little River	34	33	1	–	–	1	3	2	–	37	35	2
Miller	95	66	27	3	1	1	21	16	7	119	83	35
Montgomery	6	5	1	–	–	–	2	1	–	8	6	1
Nevada	85	64	21	–	–	–	9	6	3	94	70	24
Ouachita	113	104	12	–	–	–	28	27	5	141	131	17
Pike	46	43	4	–	–	–	6	3	2	52	46	6
Polk	109	76	32	–	–	–	7	5	3	116	81	35
Scott	12	12	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	14	14	–
Sevier	86	64	12	–	–	–	15	12	2	101	76	14
Union	167	149	11	–	–	–	30	24	3	197	173	14
Yell	88	80	6	1	1	–	12	13	–	101	94	6
Area 4 - Total	1,120	893	205	3	3	–	174	143	45	1,297	1,039	250
Arkansas	110	87	13	–	–	–	18	9	7	128	96	20
Ashley	113	108	10	–	–	–	4	5	–	117	113	10
Bradley	89	55	27	–	–	–	24	23	10	113	78	37
Chicot	24	20	4	–	–	–	2	2	–	26	22	4
Cleveland	26	26	1	–	–	–	6	3	1	32	29	2
Desha	100	79	13	–	–	–	8	9	–	108	88	13
Drew	26	22	4	–	–	–	3	1	2	29	23	6
Grant	40	33	3	–	–	–	2	2	–	42	35	3
Jefferson	194	143	49	–	–	–	37	30	9	231	173	58
Lee	85	69	11	1	1	–	19	16	3	105	86	14
Lincoln	45	37	5	–	–	–	9	8	–	54	45	5
Monroe	32	31	3	–	–	–	2	2	–	34	33	3
Phillips	156	122	48	2	2	–	26	22	10	184	146	58
St. Francis	80	61	14	–	–	–	14	11	3	94	72	17

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	AA			AB			AD			TOTAL		
	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied	Received	Approved	Denied
Area 5 - Total	1,917	1,554	368	–	–	–	356	290	65	2,273	1,844	433
Clark	87	82	7	–	–	–	22	19	1	109	101	8
Cleburne	46	39	7	–	–	–	5	5	1	51	44	8
Conway	63	54	9	–	–	–	15	15	–	78	69	9
Faulkner	87	69	22	–	–	–	29	23	7	116	92	29
Garland	188	165	16	–	–	–	27	24	4	215	189	20
Hot Spring	87	69	15	–	–	–	7	5	3	94	74	18
Lonoke	110	86	14	–	–	–	23	18	4	133	104	18
Perry	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	3	–
Pope	154	126	38	–	–	–	16	15	1	170	141	39
Prairie	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1
Pulaski-South	495	395	104	–	–	–	94	79	15	589	474	119
Pulaski-North	274	216	69	–	–	–	28	21	6	302	237	75
Saline	128	98	29	–	–	–	62	44	17	190	142	46
White	195	152	38	–	–	–	27	22	5	222	174	43

FOOD SERVICES

Food Stamp Program

The purpose of the Food Stamp Program is to provide a way in which the use of the Nation's abundance of food, through the promotion and use of food stamps, will raise levels of nutrition among low-income households as a safeguard to the health and well being of the Nation's population. To alleviate such hunger and malnutrition, the Food Stamp Program permits such low-income households to purchase a nutritionally adequate diet through normal channels of trade.

The Food Stamp Act of 1977, as amended, provides that a household receives an amount of coupons in accordance with its size and income. To qualify, households must meet USDA Food and Nutrition Services' nationwide eligibility standards.

Food coupons may be spent for food items at grocery stores which have been authorized by Food and Nutrition Service, USDA to accept coupons; or they may be used to purchase meals from FNS approved non-profit dining facilities, meal delivery services or drug and alcoholic treatment centers. A two-year pilot program began in 1963 in one county. All counties have been in the program since fiscal year 1972. This entails 81 active issuance stations and a Central Mail Unit which mail coupons statewide.

Other than the nutritional effect provided the State's families, the impact of the sales tax from the added retail sales derived from bonus food coupons, (those contributed by the Federal Government), amounted to an estimated $2,365,000 over the past twelve months. Since cost of administering the program is jointly shared by the Federal Government and the State, the revenues derived from the above referred sales tax alone pays for more than half of the State's delivery cost of the Food Stamp Program. The nutritional benefits are far reaching and long lasting in the State's quality of health.

Food Distribution

The Food Distribution Unit operates in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture and administers the distribution of USDA donated foods to eligible outlets. Foods are currently available for the following food assistance programs:

School Lunch	Child Care
Charitable Institutions	Summer Camp
Summer Recreation	Correctional Institutions

This unit determines eligibility of recipient agencies, receives and stores (in both state owned and commercially owned warehousing) all foods allocated to Arkansas for these programs and keeps all records pertaining thereto. Recipient agencies other than schools pick up their food items. School food items are delivered by a trucking firm operating under a state contract. Monitoring, reviews and inspections are completed on all programs to assure that Federal storage, usage and health standards are observed.

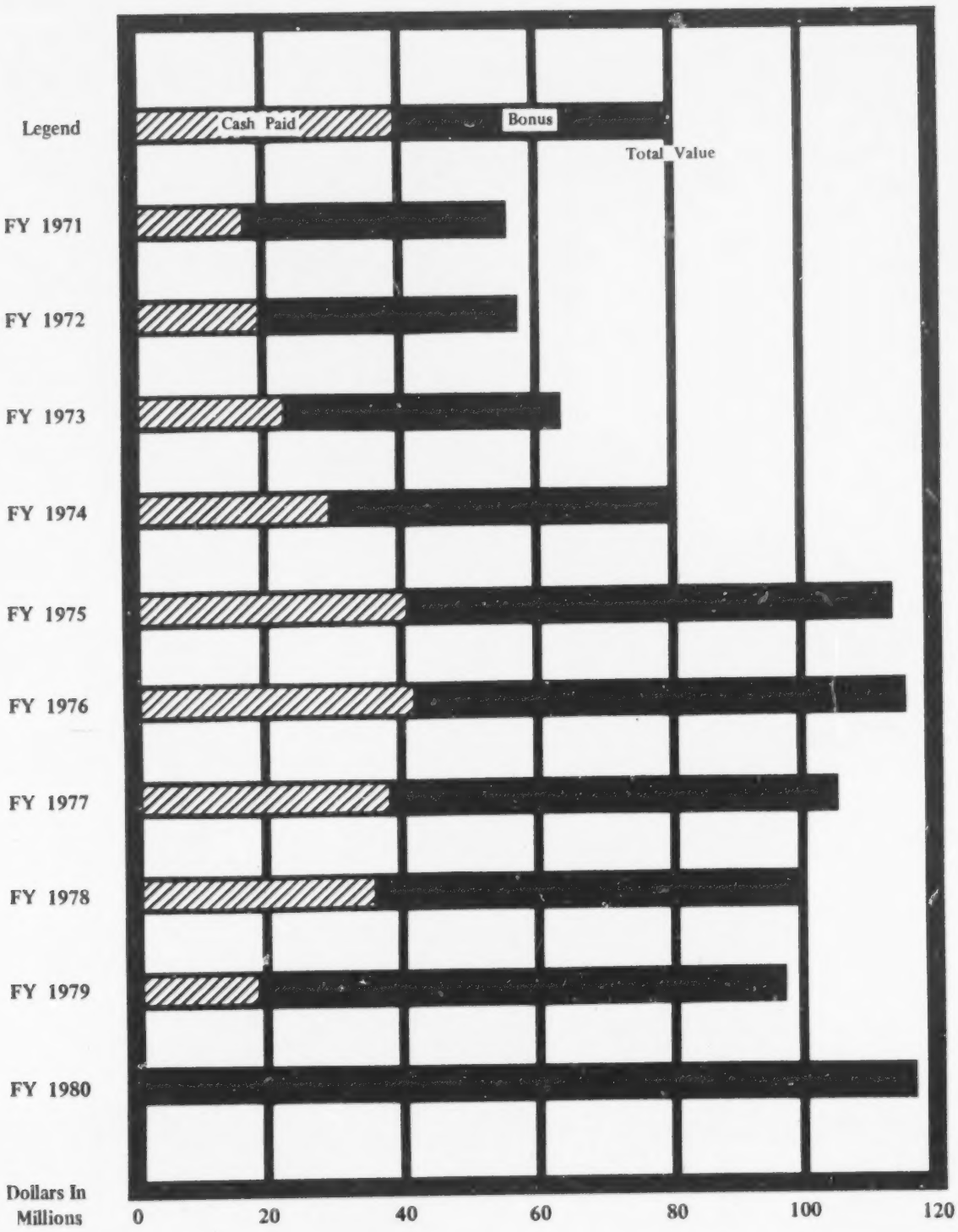
PARTICIPATION IN THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM
FY 1979 - 1980

	Avg. No. Cases Per Mo.	Avg. No. Persons Per Mo.	Total Coupons Issued
State Total	99,901	292,921	$117,732,438
Area 1 - Total	14,326	40,284	$16,472,292
Baxter	509	1,384	542,986
Benton	1,459	4,159	1,681,123
Boone	856	2,390	967,793
Carroll	451	1,183	488,027
Crawford	1,227	3,865	1,515,956
Franklin	403	1,095	416,048
Johnson	797	2,132	828,026
Logan	873	2,398	927,927
Madison	502	1,402	598,268
Marion	429	1,305	560,911
Newton	548	1,665	700,921
Searcy	498	1,304	514,121
Sebastian	2,063	5,930	2,457,725
Stone	614	1,724	720,946
Van Buren	779	1,990	813,481
Washington	2,318	6,358	2,738,033
Area 2 - Total	22,732	68,471	$26,619,048
Clay	1,020	2,478	916,595
Craighead	2,101	5,955	2,390,517
Crittenden	3,513	13,124	5,302,657
Cross	1,115	4,033	1,494,887
Fulton	524	1,338	516,892
Greene	1,424	3,754	1,458,004
Independence	1,169	2,848	1,085,887
Izard	571	1,363	521,740
Jackson	1,402	3,897	1,469,474
Lawrence	1,316	3,418	1,310,726
Mississippi	4,141	13,524	5,209,691
Poinsett	1,822	5,196	2,088,197
Randolph	893	2,407	926,354
Sharp	708	2,060	811,404
Woodruff	1,013	3,076	1,116,023
Area 3 - Total	14,791	40,332	$16,014,279
Calhoun	364	944	346,837
Columbia	1,482	4,220	1,742,203
Dallas	737	2,024	773,416
Hempstead	773	2,151	865,152
Howard	357	902	325,812
Lafayette	714	2,178	875,265
Little River	543	1,616	605,943
Miller	1,593	4,536	1,898,373
Montgomery	353	881	342,531
Nevada	661	1,712	669,829
Ouachita	2,109	5,435	2,169,462
Pike	389	976	373,552
Polk	843	2,252	923,674
Scott	636	1,601	632,860
Sevier	349	943	363,427
Union	2,046	5,736	2,300,658
Yell	842	2,225	805,285

PARTICIPATION IN THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM
FY 1979 - 1980

	Avg. No. Cases Per Mo.	Avg. No. Persons Per Mo.	Total Coupons Issued
Area 4 - Total	22,182	71,809	$28,165,491
Arkansas	1,288	3,634	1,464,608
Ashley	1,315	3,839	1,491,383
Bradley	592	1,639	585,882
Chicot	1,792	5,916	2,283,569
Cleveland	376	983	333,971
Desha	1,316	4,514	1,716,572
Drew	847	2,505	934,636
Grant	356	889	307,154
Jefferson	4,314	13,807	5,539,035
Lee	1,799	6,124	2,434,568
Lincoln	809	2,596	924,346
Monroe	1,298	4,122	1,657,521
Phillips	3,377	11,928	4,808,297
St. Francis	2,703	9,313	3,683,949
Area 5 - Total	25,870	72,025	$30,461,328
Clark	1,079	2,614	1,045,156
Cleburne	577	1,356	527,856
Conway	1,171	3,030	1,152,230
Faulkner	837	2,067	792,394
Garland	1,985	5,174	2,144,560
Hot Spring	906	2,301	916,434
Lonoke	1,340	4,097	1,566,903
Perry	327	773	293,851
Pope	1,281	3,382	1,392,195
Prairie	559	1,623	615,730
Pulaski-South	8,395	24,796	11,287,352
Pulaski-North	4,090	11,830	5,123,699
Saline	1,472	4,069	1,726,591
White	1,851	4,913	1,876,377

FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
FY 1971 – 1980



FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
FY 1971 – 1980
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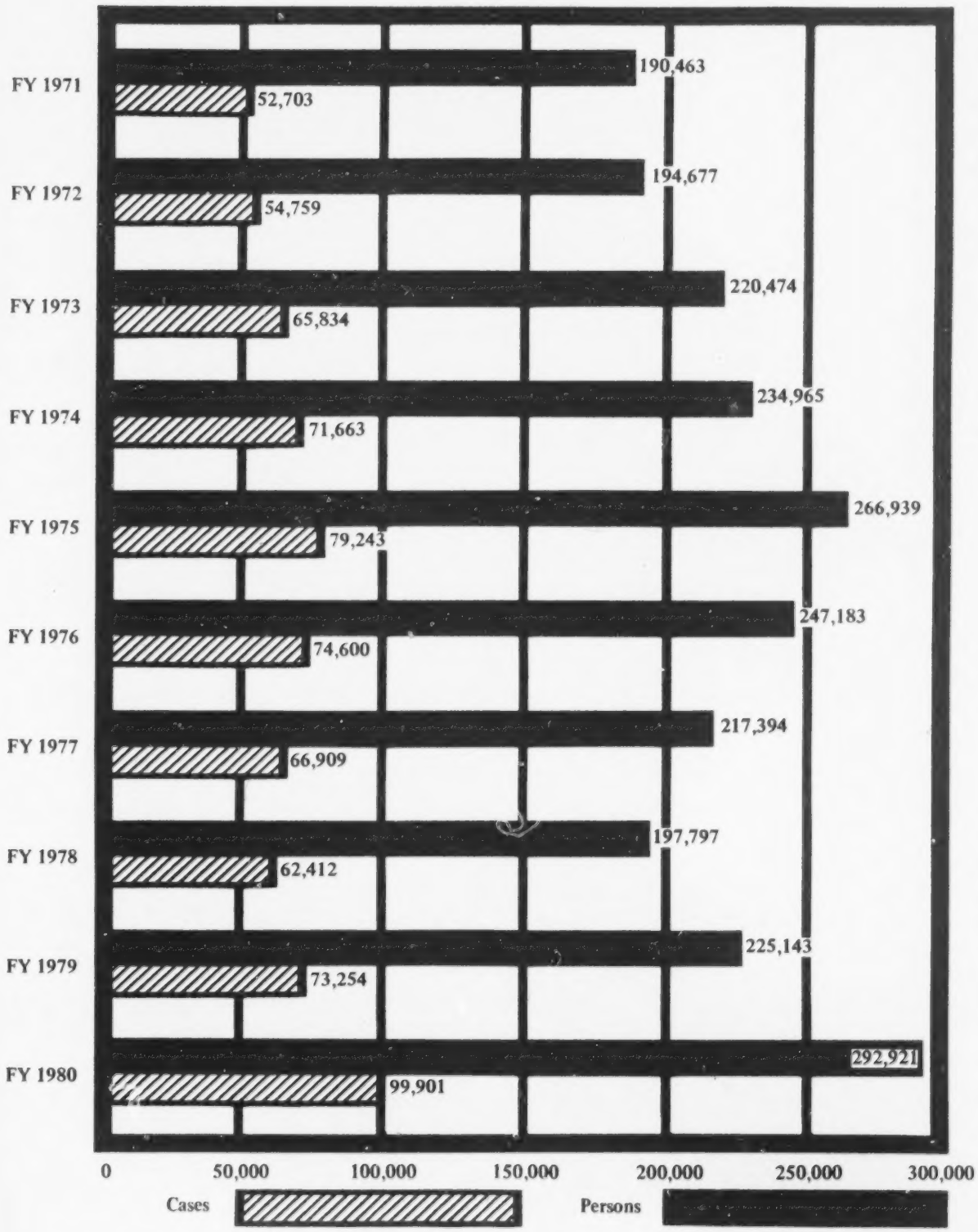

SOCIAL SERVICES

Social services are those services which assist individuals and families make changes necessary to enhance their social functioning. These services are primarily delivered through direct casework of the staff in the county Social Services Division office and through the purchase of specialized service from community agencies.

In addition to the direct service work done by the Division's field staff and services purchased from other private and public providers under contract to the Division, the Division is responsible for eligibility determination and case management for the Title XX purchase of service clients of all the other offices and Divisions of the Department of Human Services. The reimbursement of all providers with social service contracts and Federal financial and service reporting are also the responsibility of Social Services Division.

The social services of this Division are directed toward the following goals:

- Self support
- Self sufficiency
- Preventing of abuse, neglect or exploitation of children and adults
- Maintenance of individuals in their own homes and communities

The persons eligible for services are low income persons who receive Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), Supplementary Security Income (SSI), other Medicaid recipients and/or persons whose income is 80% or less than the state's median income.

Some services are provided regardless of the income of the client. These services are Information and Referral and Protective Services for Children and Adults.

In 1979–1980, the Division purchased services for 15,181 clients through a combination of funding sources and services were provided to 16,247 clients.

PURCHASED SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

Type of Service	Total	Persons Receiving Service		Purchase Amount
		Adults	Children	
Chore Services	150	150	–	$ 31,508
Day and Residential Camping	204	–	204	35,547
Day Care for Children	3,782	–	3,782	3,180,141
Emergency Services	434	434	–	61,640
Family Maintenance	1,237	1,237	–	114,355
Family Planning	7,541	6,400	1,141	172,422
Health Related Services	141	141	–	18,058
Protective Services for Children	1,376	–	1,376	938,656
Services to Unmarried Parents	123	67	56	450,967
Socialization Services	290	–	290	61,120
Substitute Care for Children	277	–	277	1,234,467
Transportation	226	214	12	8,860
Total [1/]	15,181	8,399	6,782	$5,307,741

[1/] Unduplicated count of persons.

RECIPIENTS OF PURCHASED SERVICES AND COST OF SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA		AB		AD			AFDC		
Type of Service	Adults	Amount	Adults	Amount	Adults	Children	Amount	Adults	Children	Amount
Total [1/]	103	$12,633	21	$4,082	264	35	$90,638	2,940	1,814	$1,104,517
Chore Services	51	8,092	1	90	29	–	4,566	4	–	3,204
Day and Residential Camping	–	–	–	–	–	5	735	–	116	20,123
Day Care for Children	–	–	–	–	–	3	2,916	–	821	699,804
Emergency Services	3	265	1	44	10	–	909	33	–	2,600
Family Maintenance	15	1,455	12	3,494	81	–	8,813	350	–	27,164
Family Planning	–	–	5	135	122	8	3,027	2,592	662	70,080
Health Related Services	26	2,759	2	190	6	–	500	1	–	150
Protective Services for Children	–	–	–	–	–	15	8,626	–	192	136,684
Services for Unmarried Parents	–	–	–	–	2	–	4,553	2	1	13,341
Socialization Services	–	–	–	–	–	2	47	–	81	13,894
Substitute Care for Children [2/]	–	–	–	–	–	7	54,048	–	24	117,379
Transportation	10	62	4	129	27	–	1,898	11	7	94

1/ Unduplicated count of persons.

2/ Does not include Foster Care board payments.

RECIPIENTS OF PURCHASED SERVICES AND COST OF SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

Type of Service	Medical Eligibles			Income Eligibles			Without Regard		
	Adults	Children	Amount	Adults	Children	Amount	Adults	Children	Amount
Total [1/]	188	425	$951,128	4,985	4,028	$3,779,232	1	589	$365,511
Chore Services	1	–	190	64	–	15,366	–	–	–
Day and Residential Camping	–	40	6,610	–	43	8,079	–	–	–
Day Care for Children	–	16	10,850	–	2,904	2,425,184	–	38	41,387
Emergency Services	–	–	–	387	–	57,822	–	–	–
Family Maintenance	1	–	58	780	–	73,371	–	–	–
Family Planning	153	51	4,665	3,527	419	94,485	1	1	30
Health Related Services	1	–	48	105	–	14,411	–	–	–
Protective Services for Children	–	172	118,154	–	448	366,103	–	549	309,089
Services for Unmarried Parents	32	22	175,578	31	33	257,495	–	–	–
Socialization Services	–	13	1,844	–	194	45,335	–	–	–
Substitute Care for Children [2/]	–	133	633,111	–	109	414,924	–	4	15,005
Transportation	1	–	20	161	5	6,657	–	–	–

[1/] Unduplicated count of persons.

[2/] Does not include Foster Care board payment.

DIRECT SERVICES [1/]
FY 1979 - 1980

Service	Total	Persons Receiving Services: Adult	Children
Adoption Services	162	–	162
Chore Services	96	96	–
Day Care for Children	3,782	–	3,782
Day and Residential Camping	13	–	13
Emergency Services	88	81	7
Family Maintenance	607	462	145
Family Planning	20	10	10
Health Related Services	317	55	262
Home Delivered Meals	11	11	–
Mental Health Services	122	80	42
Protective Services for Adults	71	71	–
Protective Services for Children	8,145	–	8,145
Services for Unmarried Parents	169	93	76
Socialization Services	74	74	–
Special Services for the Blind	10	7	3
Special Services for the Disabled	19	13	6
Substitute Care for Children	5,692	–	5,692
Supervised Living Services	47	47	–
Supportive Services for Children	442	–	442
Transportation	1,040	551	489
Youth in Need	107	–	107

Unduplicated Total 16,247

Direct Services Provided To Or In Behalf Of Persons Not Identified As Active Service Cases

Independent Adoption Study	294
Foster Home Study	443
Juvenile Court Investigation	787
Chancery Court Investigation	921
Children Assisted in Health Related Clinic	2,374
Information and Referrals	34,759
Out-of-Town/State Inquiries	1,465
Total	41,043

[1/] Services provided to or in behalf of the client by Social Service Division field staff ... i.e. casework with individuals and families or case management for clients receiving community based services.

DIRECT SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA	AB		AD		AFDC		Medicaid Eligible	
	Adults	Adults	Children	Adults	Children	Adults	Children	Adults	Children
Adoption Services	–	–	–	–	1	–	4	1	156
Chore Services	26	–	–	7	–	2	–	13	–
Day Care for Children	–	–	3	–	10	–	780	–	48
Day and Residential Camping	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	–	2
Emergency Services	–	–	–	3	1	15	–	1	1
Family Maintenance	8	–	–	27	5	171	41	10	12
Family Planning	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	4
Health Related Services	9	2	2	4	14	24	64	1	145
Home Delivered Meals	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mental Health Services	–	–	–	1	–	9	5	–	13
Protective Services for Adults	15	–	–	16	–	2	–	4	–
Protective Services for Children	–	–	3	–	127	–	2,810	–	904
Services for Unmarried Parents	–	–	–	2	1	14	3	11	32
Socialization Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–
Special Services for the Blind	1	4	–	–	1	–	1	–	1
Special Services for the Disabled	–	–	–	5	2	–	–	1	2
Substitute Care for Children	–	–	10	–	355	–	942	–	3,994
Supervised Living Services	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–
Supportive Services for Children	–	–	3	–	14	–	145	–	19
Transportation	191	7	3	213	45	85	164	32	236
Youth in Need	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	–	23

DIRECT SERVICES
FY 1979 - 1980

	Income Eligible		CWS		Without Regard to Income	
	Adults	Children	Adults	Children	Adults	Children
Adoption Services	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chore Services	48	–	–	–	–	–
Day Care for Children	–	2,903	–	–	–	38
Day and Residential Camping	–	3	–	–	–	–
Emergency Services	61	4	–	–	1	1
Family Maintenance	238	83	–	–	8	4
Family Planning	9	4	–	–	–	1
Health Related Services	15	24	–	5	–	8
Home Delivered Meals	9	–	–	–	2	–
Mental Health Services	69	21	–	–	1	3
Protective Services for Adults	29	–	–	–	5	–
Protective Services for Children	–	3,179	–	31	–	1,091
Services for Unmarried Parents	62	32	1	2	3	6
Socialization Services	71	–	–	–	–	–
Special Services for the Blind	2	–	–	–	–	–
Special Services for the Disabled	7	2	–	–	–	–
Substitute Care for Children	–	281	–	61	–	49
Supervised Living Services	44	–	–	–	–	–
Supportive Services for Children	–	241	–	8	–	12
Transportation	21	29	1	5	1	7
Youth in Need	–	79	–	–	–	1

SUBSTITUTE CARE SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

Substitute care for children provides selective placement in a foster home, group home or residential treatment facility for a planned period of time for a child who has to be separated from his natural or legal parents. Substitute care services are provided through purchase or as a direct service (Foster Care) by the Social Services Division. Substitute care services are financed by Title XX, Title IV-B, State funds and a limited amount of community funds.

The increase in demand for substitute care services continued. The average number of children per month in foster care with Social Services in fiscal year 1980 was 1,914 compared to an average of 1,804 in FY 79 and 1,243 in FY 78. The majority of these children are in foster homes, although the number who are in group homes or residential treatment facilities is growing. The need for appropriate placement resources has continued to be critical, especially for children with special needs (i.e., children that are physically or mentally handicapped, emotionally disturbed, children in sibling groups of three or more, black children and children over 12 years of age). The need for treatment resources for emotionally disturbed children has been emphasized during this year by the continued need to place children in treatment facilities in other states. By the end of FY 80, fourteen children were in these facilities in other states.

Foster care is defined as care for a child in a home other than his own when existence in his own home would be detrimental to his health or well-being. The intent of foster care is to deliver services to the family which will allow them to be reunited, or if this is not possible within a reasonable length of time, to find an alternative permanent home for the child. Although it is defined as a short-term alternative, foster care has often turned into a long-term living situation. The average length of time in foster care was twenty-five months at the end of FY 80.

There was an average of 1,344 children each month for whom foster care board payments were made. The usual rate of payment is based on the age of the child. There are occasions when the regular board rate is inadequate for meeting the needs of a particular child. Special rates are used to negotiate payment for the physically, mentally or emotionally handicapped child. Total board payments of $1,838,039 were made during the year. Of this amount $383,096 in payments were made for children from AFDC families or who met the requirements as stipulated to be eligible for Title IV-A (AFDC) participation.

Number of Children For Whom Board Payments Were Made by Source of Funds

	Total	State	IV-A
July 1979	1,406	1,136	270
August	1,371	1,099	272
September	1,336	1,080	256
October	1,363	1,097	266
November	1,045	843	202
December	1,356	1,088	268
January 1980	1,361	1,094	267
February	1,372	1,106	266
March	1,362	1,079	283
April	1,365	1,068	297
May	1,376	1,058	318
June	1,389	1,075	314

Characteristics of Children in Foster Care

Race:		Length of Time in Foster Care:	
White	64.0	Less than one year	35.0
Black	33.0	1 through 2 years	26.0
American Indian	.3	3 through 5 years	13.0
Spanish American	.3	6 through 10 years	11.0
Other/Unknown	2.4	Over 10 years	15.0

Age:	
Birth through 5 years	32.0
6 through 11 years	23.0
12 through 14 years	18.0
15 and over	27.0

Sex:	
Male	51.0
Female	49.0

Legal Status:	
Custody	73.0
Guardianship	21.3
Parental Consent	.2
Other	5.5

Location of Child:	
Foster Home	68.0
Private Residential Facility	10.0
Children's Colony	3.0
Deaf/Blind School	.3
Rehabilitation Training School	.7
Treatment Facility	5.0
Other	13.0

Reason For Entry:	
Physical/Emotional problem of parent	4.0
Physical/Emotional problem of child	3.0
Abuse or neglect of child	46.0
Parental unwillingness/inability to care for child	19.0
Family Dysfunctioning	10.0
Child of unwed mother awaiting adoption	6.0
Death of parent	1.0
Other	11.0

Foster Parents

Participation Training became a requirement for all foster parents. By the end of FY 80, sixty-eight percent of the foster parents had been trained. Liability insurance was purchased by the agency for all foster parents.

Permanency Planning

Written case plans and quarterly staffings became a requirement for all foster children.

Interstate Compact on Juveniles

The Interstate Compact on Juveniles was designed primarily for cases involving runaways and supervision of juveniles who have been adjudicated delinquent. The Compact provides a means by which states can deal effectively with the prevention and treatment of juvenile delinquency. It makes legal machinery available for the return of runaways and makes it possible to place a juvenile on probation or parole in a state other than the one where he committed his offense, with assurance of supervision by the appropriate agencies of the state in which he is placed.

As a member of the Interstate Compact on Juveniles, Arkansas agrees to:

- Evaluate placements and supervise juvenile probationers and parolees sent from other states as if they were our own.
- Detain and protect juvenile runaways, absconders, and escapees from other states until arrangements are made to return them to their home state.
- Return Arkansas' juveniles from other states as quickly as possible when the juveniles have run away, have escaped from institutions, or have absconded from probation or parole supervision.
- Enter into contractual agreement for treatment of juveniles from other states in Arkansas facilities.

The administrative cost for this service is funded by Title XX and is approximately $18,000 a year. The program cost is funded by Title XX and Social Services Travel Money and is approximately $8,213 a year. The approximate number of juveniles served is 400.

The Interstate Compact on Juveniles was ratified in Arkansas by Act No. 155 of 1957.

Juveniles Returned to Arkansas	55
Juveniles Returned to Sending State	72
Juveniles Placed on Supervision in Arkansas	53
Juveniles Placed on Supervision Out-of-State	69
Requests for Home Evaluations from Arkansas	141
Requests for Home Evaluations from Other States	82
Escapees (From Training Schools)	13
Absconders (From Probation or Parole)	31
Runaways (Non-Adjudicated)	114
Juveniles Discharged/Cases Closed	213
Travel Expense for the Year	$8,213

Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children

The Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children is a legally and administratively sound means of permitting child placement activities to be pursued throughout the country in much the same way and with the same safeguards and services as though they were being conducted within a single state.

The Compact applies to placements preliminary to possible adoptions, placements in foster care where no adoption is contemplated, and institutional placements of adjudicated delinquents needing special services or programs not available within the state.

The Compact provides a number of safeguards, both to children and to the sending and receiving states:

- Provides for home studies and an evaluation of each interstate placement before it is made.
- Allows the prospective receiving state to ensure that all its applicable child placement laws and policies are followed before it approves an interstate placement.
- Gives the prospective receiving state the opportunity to consent to or deny a placement before it is made.
- Guarantees the child legal and financial protection by fixing these responsibilities with the sending agency or individual.
- Ensures that the sending agency or individual does not lose legal jurisdiction over the child once he is moved to the receiving state.

The administrative cost for this service is funded by Title XX and is approximately $18,000 a year. The program cost is funded by Title XX, Foster Care General Relief Fund, Social Services Travel Money, and Title IV-A, and is approximately $12,000 a year. The approximate number of children and youth served is 150.

The Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children was ratified in Arkansas by Act No. 677 of 1979; to become effective July 1, 1979.

The following figures reflect only the number of children that required assistance with travel arrangements by the Interstate Compact Unit.

Requests for Home Evaluations from Arkansas	213
Requests for Home Evaluations to Arkansas	224
Number of Placements Into Arkansas	122
Number of Placements Out of Arkansas	69

Total travel expense for the foster children ($2,782) and escorts ($1,322) was $4,104.

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

The primary objective of Supportive Services is to promote the well-being of children, youth, families, and aged, blind, or disabled adults. These preventive services are provided through early intervention with individuals or families who are experiencing problems with social or emotional functioning, health problems, and/or economic problems. If preventive services are not provided early, individuals or families are likely to suffer further dysfunctioning and deterioration, leading to the need for substitute care or institutional care.

Supportive services are provided directly by Social Services Division staff and through purchase-of-service contracts.

The following services are provided for children.

Supportive Services to Children in Their Own Homes

Supportive services to strengthen, preserve, and enhance family life are provided to maintain families, to prevent the need for placement of children, and to prevent family dysfunction.

In recognition of the family as the most powerful and primary social welfare institution, these services are provided to children within their own homes to strengthen their own families and preserve the family unit.

Children served 265

Adults served 110

Units of service include intake and casework.

Homemaker Services

A homemaker program which would provide home-based services to children and adults was initiated through a CETA grant. In order to implement the program, an existing CETA grant was amended, a literature search was conducted, and policy from states and private agencies which provide homemaker services was reviewed. Agency policy, procedures for hiring, and guidelines for homemaker services were developed. Training on both the supervisory and the homemaker levels was provided. By June 1980, fifteen homemakers had been hired and had received the initial homemaker orientation and training.

Services to Youth in Need

Services to youth in need are directed toward prevention, diversion, and control of delinquency. These are support services provided to youth (aged 8–18) and their families to help resolve problems and allow the youth to remain in his own community. These services may be provided directly by Social Services staff and/or may be purchased.

Youth served 98

Adults served 3

Units of service include casework, psychosocial therapy, diagnosis and evaluation, vocational services, socialization, legal assistance, arrangement, and reintegration services.

Socialization

Socialization for children is promoted by Big Brothers of Pulaski County and the Saline County Boys' Club through a purchase-of-service contract.

The following services are provided to children, families, and adults.

Emergency Services

Emergency services are provided to children, families, and adults directly by Social Services staff and purchase-of-service contracts. The provision of these services at time of crisis usually results in quick rehabilitation of individuals and families.

To expand existing emergency services to the fullest possible extent, Supportive Services Unit applied for and received a small demonstration grant for comprehensive emergency services designed specifically for children and their families to prevent out-of-home care or institutionalization. This program is to be implemented during the succeeding fiscal year in Pulaski, Washington, and Lee counties with extensive community involvement. Through this program, response will be made to a wide range of situations which result in emergencies, including child abuse. There is close coordination with agencies providing a similar service. Continuation and/or expansion of comprehensive emergency services will be contingent upon the success of this pilot project.

Emergency services are available statewide for eligible veterans and their families through a limited contract with Veterans' Child Welfare Services. Emergency services are purchased from St. Francis House, Inc. specifically for Pulaski County clients.

Services to Unmarried Parents

Casework services are offered for the purpose of enabling unmarried parents to make decisions about their present and future, the future of their expected child; assisting them in developing or improving family relationships, adequacy in parenting, planning and family management, or adoptive planning for their expected child. These services are delivered directly by the Division staff. Comprehensive services statewide or comprehensive residential treatment services are purchased in part or fully as the need indicates.

Comprehensive Maternity Care:

Unmarried parents carried forward from June 30, 1979	31
Comprehensive residential maternity care	25
Services initiated during this period	172
Comprehensive residential maternity care	85
Statewide comprehensive unmarried parents served	87
Total services provided unmarried parents	203
Unmarried parents carried forward to July 1, 1980	30
Infants released for adoption	61
	(1 set of twins)
Miscarriages	0
Deaths	1
Unmarried mothers who left services prior to delivery (to keep infants)	20
TOTAL unmarried parents services	203

Services offered by the Social Services Division or purchased through contract may include prenatal care, delivery, hospitalization, post-partum care, family planning, venereal disease education, and casework services to unmarried parents, and may also include residential care, junior high and high school education, transportation to medical facilities, psychological evaluation, psychiatric treatment, referral to Rehabilitation, Job Corps, WIN, and temporary foster home care for the infant.

It will be noted that of all unmarried parents served, only a small portion (approximately 1/3) released their baby for adoption. Because a growing number of young mothers are choosing to keep their baby, the Social Services Division is placing emphasis on helping young parents prepare for the care of their child.

Social Services Division activities are coordinated with other state and private agencies serving unmarried parents in need.

Family Planning

Family planning services are provided to adolescents and adults directly by Social Services staff and through a purchase-of-service contract.

Because Arkansas currently ranks second in the nation in the percent of unwanted teenage pregnancies, Social Services Division mandated family planning as a priority service. Extensive plans were developed during this interim to improve staff competence through training to enable them to more effectively provide family planning services. Necessary arrangements were made and training was scheduled for approximately 325 persons, to begin after July 1, 1980, and extend over a period of 12 weeks.

Chore Services

Chore services, limited because of the lack of funds, are made available to eligible clients through modified contracts, utilizing individual providers of services, usually a neighbor. These temporary in-home services are a valuable resource to clients because of the accessibility of providers and abbreviated contract requirements. Although chore services are purchased primarily for adults, the service can be provided for children and families.

Health Related Services

Health related services are provided to individuals and families directly by Social Services staff. Health related services are also purchased for eligible clients through contractual agreement with the Visiting Nurses Association for Pulaski County only.

Transportation

Transportation services are provided directly by Social Services Division staff along with other needed services. One small purchase-of-service contract to serve adults who are in need of other services is available to clients in Washington, Benton, Madison, and Carroll counties.

Services provided to adults only are services to aging, blind, and disabled adults developed through the Supportive Services Unit of the Social Services Division. These services are designed to enable individuals to utilize personal strengths and available resources to resolve the problems that interfere with their independent functioning. Services provided exclusively to adults are family maintenance, and adult protective services.

Family Maintenance

Family maintenance services are provided to, for, or on behalf of eligible adults who need supportive services to strengthen individual functioning or that of the family unit. Although these services may be purchased statewide, the preponderance of family maintenance services are provided by St. Francis House through contractual agreement for residents of Pulaski County.

Adult Protective Services

The responsibility for adult protective services was divided July 1, 1979, when adult abuse, neglect, or exploitation complaint reports, investigation of reports, and maintenance of the statewide central registry was assigned to the Office on Aging, while the responsibility for providing ongoing preventive, supportive, rehabilitative services to the same client category remained with the Social Services Division. As expedient, coordination between agencies served to avoid duplication and/or gaps in services. During this fiscal year, Social Services Division provided protective/supportive services to adults which included assistance to battered women and their children through the adult services program.

The state's general population increased during the current fiscal year while services provided to adult clients decreased proportionately, partially because of funding restrictions, staff turnover, and the freeze on hiring. Arkansas also continues to rank second in the nation in the percentage of persons, age 60 and over, who potentially will require an increasing number of all kinds of social services if institutionalization is prevented or delayed.

ADOPTION SERVICES

The primary purpose of Adoption Services is to enable children to become permanent members of families who can give the love, protection and opportunities essential for healthy growth and development. Children are referred who otherwise would not have homes of their own and who can benefit from family life. Special efforts have been made to recruit and study applicants who can accept and adopt children having special needs.

Children with special needs are defined as those who have physical, intellectual or emotional problems; a sibling group of three or more who should be placed together; being nine years of age or older; members of a minority or ethnic group; or having a combination of these factors. There were 96 special needs children placed in FY 80. The 96 children were in the following categories:

- Physical, educational and/or emotional problems. 7
- Sibling groups 10
- Age 24
- Minority 55

Adoption Services has actively recruited homes for waiting children by use of the Portfolio, news media, churches, posters, adoption interest groups, and contact with community leaders. A television station continued its program of presenting a special child each month. Fourteen children were shown, and thirteen have been placed. Adoption Services is engaged in the formation of a regional adoption exchange with other states in Health and Human Services Region VI. Other state and national exchanges are listed also.

There were 236 new adoption applications filed during the year and 169 approvals. The total number of placements was 222, compared to 186 the preceding year.

Sixty-seven infants were placed by Adoption Services as referrals from Unmarried Parents Services. Placements were with couples who made application before June 1, 1978.

Subsidized adoptions were implemented at the beginning of the fiscal year, and twenty children were certified for and placed with this monetary assistance. Of the twenty placements, sixteen were for maintenance, six for medical needs, and twelve for attorneys' fees. If these twenty children had remained in foster care, the cost to the state would have been approximately $60,000. Subsidized adoption for these children cost $25,972.

The Black Family Outreach Adoption Unit was established January 1, 1980, for the purpose of recruiting and studying homes for the adoption of black children. Three BFOAU adoption specialists were assigned to eight counties in central and southern Arkansas where there is a high black population. When the unit opened, there were five approved applicants. Twenty families were approved and waiting placement at the end of the year. From January 1980 through June 1980, twenty-six children were placed as compared to twenty-nine children during the entire previous fiscal year.

CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES

The goal of Child Protective Services is to prevent or remedy abuse and neglect of children and to strengthen parental child care capacity and family life.

In FY 80, 8,145 children in need of protection were served. These services include investigation, emergency removal, casework, lay therapy, legal services, emergency shelter care and arrangement for services.

The Central Registry which receives reports of suspected child abuse and neglect on a statewide basis received 6,659 reports during this period.

Staff conducted various public awareness efforts including a television special, workshops for various professionals, newspaper interviews and the distribution of public awareness materials. Communities are given assistance, upon request, in informing professionals and the general public about the problem of child abuse and neglect and what remedial action they may take.

Support was continued for Arkansas Children's Hospital Failure to Thrive (emotionally and nutritionally neglected children) Clinic.

Financial assistance was provided to the University of Arkansas Medical Science Campus (hospital) for development of a pilot project for the early identification of high-risk infants based on the health of the infant, family history and parental interaction with the child.

There is a statewide hotline for reporting child abuse and neglect.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

The Child Development Unit seeks to provide services to children and their families by safeguarding their care in child care facilities. It is believed that children will be protected by assuring that a minimum of accepted standards are met by facilities providing care.

From July 1, 1979 through June 30, 1980, a total of 1,821 licenses were acted upon by the Child Care Licensing Unit and the Child Care Facility Review Board. Of these the following decisions were rendered:

New Licenses Granted	277
Licenses Renewed	1,014
Provisional Licenses Granted	153
Licenses Denied	4
Licenses Revoked	2
Cease & Desist Orders	8
Religiously Exempt (in substantial compliance)	7
Licenses Closed	356

The Child Care Licensing staff provides technical assistance to facilities to assist them in obtaining a license and/or to provide higher quality child care services. The facilities involved include day care family homes, day care centers, and residential facilities.

Standards which regulate child care facilities are promulgated in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act. Task forces composed of inter-agency personnel and providers revise the standards each five years. The standards are reviewed by all involved before they become final. The standards are compiled under the direction of Arkansas Social Services and are legally enacted by the Child Care Facility Review Board, a seven member Board appointed by the Governor. The Commissioner of Social Services acts as Chairman of the Board.

The Child Care Facility Review Board (CCFRB) is the final authority on the granting or denying of a license. The Social Services Division is directed according to Arkansas Statutes 83-901 through 83-918 to conduct inspections. Recommendations on licensing are then reported to the CCFRB which meets monthly. Should adverse action be recommended by the Division, the Board follows the direction of the Administrative Procedures Act. Circuit Court is then the next step for a provider appeal.

The Social Services Division Licensing Unit is also required to monitor facilities which receive Titles IV-B, IV-C and XX funding. Federal requirements also must be met by those facilities receiving Federal funding unless a small number of children receive funded services. (This small number is defined by the Federal Register as five children or ten percent of the total number of children cared for, whichever is less.) A separate Division process allows for certification of compliance with Federal requirements as this is not under the authority of the CCFRB.

The Child Development Unit assumed the direct responsibility of supervising the twenty-one licensing field staff after the November 1979 reorganization. This had previously been the responsibility of the eight regional offices.

The Child Development unit assists the Contract Services unit in the monitoring of the use of Title XX funds for day care services. This includes 75/25 percent matching funds and Title XX 100 percent funds. These funds are distributed throughout the state based upon need and ongoing service contracts. There are currently 165 facilities under contract utilizing Title XX funds.

ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

On November 27, 1979, Public Law 96–126 was signed authorizing the Energy Assistance Program for FY 80. This law made available $1.3 billion nationwide and $3.2 million in Arkansas to assist needy households in meeting the rising cost of heating fuels. One-time payments were made to households who were eligible for an AFDC Payment for December 1980. Payments of $58 were made to 3,461 single person units and payments of $116 were made to 25,376 multi-person units. All expenditures were 100% federal funds.

INDOCHINESE REFUGEE PROGRAM

The Indochinese Refugee Assistance Program funds Social Services Division to provide cash assistance, Medicaid and Social Services to Indochinese Refugees. The intent of this program is to provide temporary assistance to refugees to help them become self-sufficient and self-reliant. Purchased services for refugees include: English as a Second Language (ESL); Employment Services; Health Related Services; Counseling and Interpreter Services. Funds for the program are one hundred percent federal. A total of $926,416 ($872,554 for cash assistance, Medicaid and services and $53,862 administrative cost) was expended during fiscal year 1980.

CATEGORICAL ASSISTANCE CASES
January 1937 - January 1980

	TOTAL	AA	AB	AD	AFDC
January 1937	20,478	15,524	603	–	4,351
January 1938	25,069	19,523	685	–	4,861
January 1939	21,805	17,151	624	–	4,030
January 1940	23,172	18,464	657	–	4,051
January 1941	32,802	25,441	1,106	–	6,255
January 1942	32,752	25,322	1,161	–	6,269
January 1943	31,963	24,932	1,174	–	5,857
January 1944	32,548	26,369	1,191	–	4,988
January 1945	34,410	28,383	1,247	–	4,780
January 1946	30,830	25,737	1,127	–	3,966
January 1947	40,447	33,602	1,354	–	5,491
January 1948	55,045	45,207	1,564	–	8,274
January 1949	64,047	52,130	1,719	–	10,198
January 1950	77,249	61,483	1,851	–	13,915
January 1951	89,601	68,967	2,049	–	18,585
January 1952	74,481	59,257	1,879	–	13,345
January 1953	72,839	57,614	1,908	501	12,816
January 1954	64,646	53,005	1,896	2,490	7,255
January 1955	67,251	52,791	1,953	4,298	8,209
January 1956	69,442	54,743	2,017	5,182	7,500
January 1957	71,905	55,338	2,044	6,389	8,134
January 1958	73,353	56,276	2,035	6,862	8,180
January 1959	73,445	56,377	2,042	7,028	7,998
January 1960	72,984	56,201	2,052	7,192	7,539
January 1961	72,465	55,967	2,005	7,316	7,177
January 1962	72,128	55,640	1,961	7,513	7,014
January 1963	72,943	55,929	1,980	8,318	6,716
January 1964	75,310	57,552	1,975	9,028	6,755
January 1965	77,343	58,733	1,934	9,476	7,200
January 1966	79,118	60,018	1,918	9,773	7,409
January 1967	83,815	63,025	1,909	10,677	8,204
January 1968	87,322	64,414	1,921	11,538	9,449
January 1969	83,977	61,074	1,819	11,277	9,807
January 1970	87,509	62,861	1,773	11,466	11,409
January 1971	94,370	63,896	1,791	12,215	16,468
January 1972	99,731	64,684	1,760	12,747	20,540
January 1973	102,488	63,962	1,743	14,056	22,727
January 1974	111,673	65,477	1,776	17,822	26,598
January 1975 1/	122,543	66,914	1,749	23,251	30,629
January 1976 1/	131,630	65,586	1,759	29,247	35,038
January 1977 1/	125,853	62,008	1,721	31,494	30,630
January 1978 1/	114,933	51,609	1,640	31,806	29,878
January 1979 1/	114,582	50,234	1,614	33,550	29,184
January 1980 1/	113,382	48,154	1,616	34,217	29,395

1/ AA, AB, and AD includes SSI and State Supplement Only.

TOTAL STATE POPULATION

State Total	2,280,687
Area 1 - Total	491,888
Baxter	27,275
Benton	77,873
Boone	25,828
Carroll	16,176
Crawford	36,633
Franklin	14,657
Johnson	17,379
Logan	20,046
Madison	11,329
Marion	11,309
Newton	7,658
Searcy	8,669
Sebastian	95,023
Stone	9,036
Van Buren	13,395
Washington	99,602
Area 2 - Total	405,783
Clay	20,602
Craighead	64,569
Crittenden	49,156
Cross	20,413
Fulton	9,966
Greene	30,748
Independence	30,124
Izard	10,826
Jackson	21,624
Lawrence	18,403
Mississippi	59,536
Poinsett	27,099
Randolph	16,871
Sharp	14,638
Woodruff	11,208
Area 3 - Total	308,394
Calhoun	6,028
Columbia	26,537
Dallas	10,534
Hempstead	23,634
Howard	13,544
Lafayette	10,156
Little River	13,878
Miller	37,725
Montgomery	7,884
Nevada	11,119
Ouachita	30,553
Pike	10,327
Polk	16,984
Scott	9,709
Sevier	14,030
Union	48,769
Yell	16,983
Area 4 - Total	340,007
Arkansas	24,366
Ashley	26,377
Bradley	13,724
Chicot	17,817
Cleveland	7,863
Desha	19,748
Drew	17,961
Grant	12,988
Jefferson	90,761
Lee	15,512
Lincoln	13,332
Monroe	13,988
Phillips	34,764
St. Francis	30,806
Area 5 - Total	734,615
Clark	23,340
Cleburne	16,864
Conway	19,362
Faulkner	45,993
Garland	70,240
Hot Spring	25,880
Lonoke	34,582
Perry	7,240
Pope	38,416
Prairie	10,135
Pulaski-South	202,899
Pulaski-North	135,923
Saline	53,088
White	50,653

Source: U. S. Department of Commerce
Bureau of The Census
1980 Preliminary Population

PERCENTAGES BY RACE OF RECIPIENT POPULATION
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA			AB			AD		
	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown
State Total	62.8	31.8	5.4	56.2	38.1	5.7	62.7	34.7	2.6
Area 1 - Total	93.0	2.4	4.6	91.2	2.9	5.9	93.6	3.3	3.1
Baxter	91.7	–	8.3	87.5	–	12.5	96.7	.5	2.8
Benton	96.7	.2	3.1	100.0	–	–	96.7	.9	2.4
Boone	95.4	–	4.6	94.7	–	5.3	96.8	–	3.2
Carroll	96.6	–	3.4	100.0	–	–	96.0	–	4.0
Crawford	90.7	3.6	5.7	76.4	5.9	17.7	95.9	1.7	2.4
Franklin	95.1	.9	4.0	100.0	–	–	95.4	1.5	3.1
Johnson	95.3	1.2	3.5	91.7	8.3	–	86.8	5.7	7.5
Logan	90.8	2.9	6.3	100.0	–	–	90.7	7.5	1.8
Madison	96.8	–	3.2	81.8	–	18.2	98.0	–	2.0
Marion	97.4	.4	2.2	100.0	–	–	95.8	–	4.2
Newton	95.1	–	4.9	93.7	–	6.3	98.8	–	1.2
Searcy	95.5	.2	4.3	92.9	–	7.1	97.5	.5	2.0
Sebastian	82.6	11.3	6.1	77.8	13.9	8.3	85.1	10.5	4.4
Stone	90.6	–	9.4	92.9	–	7.1	98.6	–	1.4
Van Buren	96.2	1.4	2.4	100.0	–	–	96.8	.5	2.7
Washington	95.5	1.4	3.1	96.4	–	3.6	95.3	1.9	2.8
Area 2 - Total	68.6	24.1	7.3	62.9	29.4	7.7	72.2	25.3	2.5
Clay	89.4	.4	10.2	87.5	–	12.5	98.0	.2	1.8
Craighead	87.4	5.3	7.3	90.6	6.3	3.1	88.0	9.0	3.0
Crittenden	20.8	75.8	3.4	4.8	92.8	2.4	23.3	73.7	3.0
Cross	55.9	37.6	6.5	44.5	44.4	11.1	53.0	43.5	3.5
Fulton	91.1	–	8.9	83.3	–	16.7	97.7	–	2.3
Greene	92.6	.2	7.2	92.0	–	8.0	96.9	.8	2.3
Independence	83.6	4.5	11.9	85.0	10.0	5.0	93.7	4.2	2.1
Izard	91.6	.2	8.2	100.0	–	–	98.5	–	1.5
Jackson	67.8	23.6	8.6	66.6	16.7	16.7	76.5	21.4	2.1
Lawrence	92.5	1.2	6.3	63.6	–	36.4	95.3	2.8	1.9
Mississippi	49.9	44.6	5.5	43.2	52.3	4.5	53.3	43.9	2.8
Poinsett	75.6	16.6	7.8	67.8	28.6	3.6	81.7	15.1	3.2
Randolph	90.3	1.1	8.6	88.9	–	11.1	96.0	1.8	2.2
Sharp	90.2	.2	9.6	100.0	–	–	97.2	1.4	1.4
Woodruff	42.9	48.7	8.4	50.0	50.0	–	45.5	53.1	1.4

PERCENTAGES BY RACE OF RECIPIENT POPULATION
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA			AB			AD		
	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown
Area 3 - Total	56.1	39.3	4.7	37.1	59.1	3.8	51.8	46.4	1.8
Calhoun	53.0	41.8	5.2	–	100.0	–	50.8	48.3	.9
Columbia	34.0	59.8	6.2	21.7	78.3	–	32.3	66.3	1.4
Dallas	39.0	52.7	8.3	10.0	85.0	5.0	29.8	66.8	3.4
Hempstead	44.2	52.8	3.0	26.7	73.3	–	43.1	54.9	2.0
Howard	62.9	30.6	6.5	41.7	50.0	8.3	66.2	30.6	3.2
Lafayette	30.4	64.3	5.3	9.1	81.8	9.1	24.7	72.4	2.9
Little River	51.2	45.6	3.2	15.4	84.6	–	58.0	39.3	2.7
Miller	56.0	40.4	3.6	54.5	45.5	–	53.6	44.6	1.8
Montgomery	98.0	–	2.0	100.0	–	–	97.3	.9	1.8
Nevada	47.1	48.5	4.4	18.2	63.6	18.2	48.2	50.5	1.4
Ouachita	37.5	57.6	5.0	42.1	57.9	–	30.7	68.3	10.0
Pike	95.3	3.9	.9	100.0	–	–	97.1	2.2	.7
Polk	96.0	.2	8.8	100.0	–	–	99.5	–	.5
Scott	95.0	–	5.0	100.0	–	–	96.6	.7	2.7
Sevier	83.6	12.4	3.9	100.0	–	–	83.2	13.7	3.1
Union	43.5	51.4	5.1	15.4	80.7	3.9	59.2	39.8	1.0
Yell	90.3	3.9	5.8	76.9	7.7	15.4	94.0	3.0	3.0
Area 4 - Total	31.7	61.9	6.4	23.7	68.7	7.6	31.7	66.0	2.3
Arkansas	57.6	36.8	5.6	53.0	23.5	23.5	60.3	37.4	2.3
Ashley	42.7	51.8	5.5	12.5	81.2	6.3	42.7	54.7	2.6
Bradley	56.0	36.6	7.4	20.0	80.0	–	45.5	51.2	3.3
Chicot	15.4	77.9	6.7	13.0	78.3	8.7	19.4	78.7	1.9
Cleveland	64.1	29.0	6.9	25.0	50.0	25.0	66.4	31.3	2.3
Desha	25.1	67.0	7.9	54.5	45.5	–	29.6	69.3	1.0
Drew	48.5	43.9	7.6	45.5	45.4	9.1	48.7	47.9	3.4
Grant	82.5	7.3	10.2	100.0	–	–	88.0	12.0	–
Jefferson	25.2	66.7	8.1	15.8	77.2	7.0	25.5	71.9	2.6
Lee	20.8	75.4	3.8	15.8	78.9	5.3	21.9	75.7	2.4
Lincoln	35.9	53.3	10.8	21.4	71.5	7.1	35.7	63.1	1.2
Monroe	32.1	62.7	5.2	25.0	66.7	8.3	36.0	61.5	2.5
Phillips	18.9	75.8	5.2	17.0	74.5	8.5	21.1	76.4	2.5
St. Francis	28.5	67.7	3.8	26.2	69.0	4.8	29.7	68.0	2.3

PERCENTAGES BY RACE OF RECIPIENT POPULATION
FY 1979 - 1980

	AA			AB			AD		
	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown
Area 5 - Total	72.7	24.0	3.3	63.6	32.3	4.1	68.6	28.4	3.0
Clark	61.5	36.9	1.6	76.5	23.5	–	58.4	39.6	2.0
Cleburne	96.8	.2	3.0	88.9	–	11.1	98.5	.5	1.0
Conway	71.2	26.4	2.4	68.4	26.3	5.3	74.8	22.6	2.6
Faulkner	81.6	15.8	2.6	86.1	5.6	8.3	78.8	17.8	3.4
Garland	79.5	14.3	6.2	75.9	24.1	–	77.4	19.2	3.4
Hot Spring	79.5	17.9	2.6	73.3	20.0	6.7	78.9	18.9	2.2
Lonoke	70.9	26.3	2.8	70.0	30.0	–	66.6	30.6	2.8
Perry	89.8	8.2	2.0	100.0	–	–	95.4	2.3	2.3
Pope	93.6	2.3	4.1	95.8	–	4.2	94.5	3.9	1.6
Prairie	63.8	33.6	2.6	80.0	20.0	–	75.0	22.1	2.9
Pulaski-South	49.6	47.1	3.3	46.7	49.6	3.7	47.3	49.4	3.3
Pulaski-North	59.5	37.4	3.1	51.5	42.4	6.1	49.6	46.3	4.1
Saline	91.3	5.7	3.0	95.7	4.4	–	80.7	16.5	2.8
White	93.1	3.8	3.1	90.5	–	9.5	93.3	4.3	2.4

PERCENTAGES BY RACE OF RECIPIENT POPULATION
FY 1979 - 1980

	AFDC			U-21			Total		
	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown	White	Black	Other or Unknown
State Total	37.0	60.7	2.3	57.8	41.5	.7	56.6	39.7	3.7
Area 1 - Total	91.2	6.1	2.7	94.9	3.4	1.6	92.9	3.3	3.7
Baxter	100.0	–	–	100.0	–	–	94.2	.1	5.7
Benton	97.7	–	2.3	100.0	–	–	97.0	.4	2.6
Boone	96.7	.8	2.5	100.0	–	–	96.1	.1	3.8
Carroll	95.9	1.4	2.7	100.0	–	–	96.5	.2	3.3
Crawford	96.1	3.1	.8	96.6	–	3.4	93.5	2.8	3.7
Franklin	96.2	–	3.8	100.0	–	–	95.5	.9	3.6
Johnson	92.8	6.4	.8	100.0	–	–	92.0	3.6	4.4
Logan	90.8	7.2	2.0	91.9	8.1	–	90.9	5.5	3.6
Madison	98.7	–	1.3	100.0	–	–	97.2	–	2.8
Marion	100.0	–	–	100.0	–	–	97.6	.2	2.2
Newton	95.9	–	4.1	100.0	–	–	96.5	–	3.5
Searcy	98.5	–	1.5	100.0	–	–	96.4	.3	3.3
Sebastian	72.3	22.8	4.9	84.6	14.1	1.3	80.9	13.9	5.2
Stone	96.5	.9	2.6	100.0	–	–	94.6	.1	5.3
Van Buren	95.5	.8	3.7	100.0	–	–	96.4	1.0	2.6
Washington	93.8	3.2	3.0	85.0	7.5	7.5	94.7	2.1	3.2
Area 2 - Total	46.3	50.7	3.0	68.9	30.6	.5	64.8	30.4	4.8
Clay	91.1	–	8.9	100.0	–	–	92.6	.3	7.1
Craighead	80.4	18.2	1.4	85.2	14.8	–	86.3	9.2	4.5
Crittenden	9.6	85.6	4.8	11.5	88.5	–	17.1	79.2	3.7
Cross	30.2	67.5	2.4	46.4	53.6	–	48.4	47.0	4.6
Fulton	100.0	–	–	100.0	–	–	93.9	–	6.1
Greene	96.4	.4	3.2	100.0	–	–	94.8	.4	4.8
Independence	88.6	6.8	4.6	98.1	–	1.9	87.4	4.7	7.9
Izard	100.0	–	–	96.0	–	4.0	94.4	.1	5.5
Jackson	56.3	42.9	.8	64.8	35.2	–	68.7	26.8	4.5
Lawrence	97.8	.4	1.8	97.4	–	2.6	94.1	1.5	4.4
Mississippi	24.9	73.0	2.1	47.3	51.8	.9	43.9	52.4	3.7
Poinsett	70.0	28.3	1.7	85.1	14.9	–	76.6	18.7	4.7
Randolph	96.4	2.7	.9	95.6	4.4	–	92.6	5.8	1.6
Sharp	95.4	2.3	2.3	90.7	9.3	–	93.0	1.4	5.6
Woodruff	25.2	7	3.6	38.2	61.8	–	39.6	55.4	5.0

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Area 3 - Total	28.5	68.1	3.4	46.4	53.3	.3	48.4	48.1	3.5
Calhoun	19.8	77.2	3.0	27.3	72.7	–	44.7	51.8	3.5
Columbia	7.5	88.4	4.1	21.1	78.9	–	27.1	68.7	4.2
Dallas	12.5	86.2	1.3	25.0	75.0	–	28.4	66.8	4.8
Hempstead	17.6	81.3	1.1	30.0	70.0	–	38.0	59.7	2.3
Howard	43.5	51.8	4.7	50.0	50.0	–	61.4	33.2	5.4
Lafayette	10.0	89.5	.5	18.8	81.2	–	24.0	72.4	3.6
Little River	34.2	65.8	–	50.0	50.0	–	49.5	48.0	2.5
Miller	24.2	72.2	3.6	47.6	52.4	–	49.7	47.3	3.0
Montgomery	100.0	–	–	100.0	–	–	98.1	.3	1.6
Nevada	20.4	77.3	2.3	44.4	55.6	–	41.5	55.2	3.3
Ouachita	12.8	76.9	10.3	35.5	64.5	–	28.4	66.4	5.2
Pike	86.2	12.3	1.5	100.0	–	–	94.8	4.3	.9
Polk	99.0	–	1.0	94.7	–	5.3	97.4	.1	2.5
Scott	99.2	–	.8	100.0	–	–	96.5	.2	3.3
Sevier	74.3	20.3	5.4	80.0	20.0	–	82.4	13.8	3.8
Union	17.7	80.8	1.5	33.3	66.7	–	34.3	63.0	2.7
Yell	95.5	2.6	1.9	100.0	–	–	92.1	3.5	4.4
Area 4 - Total	13.5	84.4	2.1	21.0	78.4	.6	26.1	70.0	3.9
Arkansas	33.4	63.6	3.0	58.3	41.7	–	52.1	43.7	4.2
Ashley	18.7	78.3	3.0	26.5	73.5	–	35.7	60.3	4.0
Bradley	19.0	74.9	6.1	37.5	56.2	6.3	43.9	50.2	5.9
Chicot	10.1	89.6	.3	8.7	91.3	–	14.4	82.3	3.3
Cleveland	44.4	53.1	2.5	60.0	40.0	–	61.2	33.8	5.0
Desha	11.3	85.7	3.0	19.6	80.4	–	22.4	73.1	4.5
Drew	23.1	74.9	2.0	45.2	54.8	–	43.2	51.6	5.2
Grant	69.4	26.4	4.2	90.0	10.0	–	82.5	11.6	5.9
Jefferson	10.1	88.3	1.6	17.2	82.8	–	20.6	74.9	4.5
Lee	9.5	84.6	5.9	15.4	83.8	.8	17.3	78.8	3.9
Lincoln	18.5	80.3	1.2	66.7	33.3	–	32.1	62.2	5.7
Monroe	15.1	82.9	2.0	27.1	72.9	–	28.5	67.9	3.6
Phillips	8.7	90.5	.8	13.6	86.4	–	15.7	81.4	2.9
St. Francis	12.3	85.5	2.2	14.1	84.4	1.5	23.6	73.6	2.8

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Area 5 - Total	38.3	60.8	.9	63.4	36.0	.6	62.9	34.5	2.6
Clark	36.6	62.3	1.1	55.0	45.0	–	56.9	41.5	1.6
Cleburne	100.0	–	–	100.0	–	–	97.6	.3	2.1
Conway	60.8	38.3	.9	85.3	13.2	1.5	71.2	26.6	2.2
Faulkner	62.3	37.7	–	68.4	31.6	–	78.5	18.7	2.8
Garland	59.8	38.7	1.5	76.9	23.1	–	74.7	21.2	4.1
Hot Spring	50.4	47.8	1.8	85.2	14.8	–	73.3	24.4	2.3
Lonoke	49.2	50.8	–	40.7	55.6	3.7	65.2	32.5	2.3
Perry	88.9	11.1	–	100.0	–	–	91.8	6.5	1.7
Pope	90.1	9.6	.3	92.9	7.1	–	93.4	4.1	2.5
Prairie	38.5	61.5	–	54.5	45.5	–	60.7	37.3	2.0
Pulaski-South	13.2	86.1	.7	27.4	72.2	.4	35.1	62.6	2.3
Pulaski-North	31.6	67.0	1.4	50.5	48.6	.9	47.9	49.2	2.9
Saline	86.1	12.6	1.3	93.0	7.0	–	85.4	12.1	2.5
White	89.8	8.4	1.8	94.3	4.8	.9	92.8	4.5	2.7